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J. D. HALL

AGENT, RAYMOND

Owing to the extremely mild winter and early spring conditions work has already on the land in several districts in Southern Alberta, operations confined chiefly to plowing. This is one of the earliest spring starts on record.

The second payment to the members of the Alberta wheat pool is being made this week, amounting to 20 cents a bushel on all grades of wheat, basis Fort William. The payments to Alberta members of the pool will amount to several millions of dollars.

Mark Austin Advises Beet Growers

We look for a satisfactory beet crop this season in the producing area surrounding our Raymond Factory. The growers are now signing up and the work is well in hand. The spirit among the farmers, I find, is good and our director feels very much encouraged with the attitude of Alberta towards the industry. Under the new contract, growers will get about 2 cents a ton more for beets but the initial payment of \$6 less the 2 cents a ton freight charges will remain unchanged.

This was the statement of Mark Austin, agricultural superintendent of the Utah Idaho Sugar Company. Mr. Austin was here from Utah to inspect the beet land and to look into the situation generally in this field. He proceeded north from Chinook, Montana, Vice Pres. W. H. Wattis going west from Chinook to Bellingham, Washington.

I am delighted to see the farmers already on the land. They are doing the proper thing in stirring the surface soil with the harrow and other surface tillage tools. This will save the moisture and prevent soil drifting. Later they will utilize other tools to till deeper. That should be done just prior to seeding and the implements should be set six or seven inches deeper than the top mulch," continued Mr. Austin.

"There is abundance of moisture in the soil which should be retained in order to give the beet seed the proper germination. The staff has the work well in hand and I find co-operation on the part of the growers is excellent."

Farmers are finding the pulp and beet tops very profitable for livestock feeding. Take the tops lying in the field, they are worth real money to the farmer. An acre

News Notes

The grounds north of the second ward church was levelled by the M men and advanced senior class. A new fence is being built around it and the place will be fixed up more this summer adding much to the attractiveness of the place.

The Stake M. I. A. contest in dramatic reading, public speaking and drama will be held next week at Macgath, Stirling and Raymond on different nights. The students will handle the contest at all three places. The two Raymond wards will compete at the Opera House, Saturday night.

Farmers in the province who have not secured their seed grain for the coming season, are advised that registered seed grain be secured through the provincial government cleaning and grading plant at Edmonton, and that orders for such should be placed with W. J. Stephen, Field Crops Commissioner, Department of Agriculture, at once.

Look at your hat! Everybody else has. A good hat and dressy shoes make for a well dressed man. More of both just in.

Bennett & Co. Ltd

Beet tops will carry five to ten head of lambs or one steer for 30 or 40 days. The lambs will increase in weight during that period from 10 to 15 lbs. per head. At ten cents a pound for lambs, a low price, the tops would give the farmer a net return of from \$5 to \$10 an acre. The dry land farmer, producing a crop every two years, would not get more per acre than the beet farmer gets on his beet tops alone providing he feeds them to lambs. In addition, the cultivated crop covers the land from weeds," said Mr. Austin. —Lethbridge Herald.

News Notes

Miss Pauline Redd, Raymond's Motor Princess, is selling a large number of tickets to the Lethbridge Auto Show and there is every possibility that one of the thousand dollar cars will find its home in Raymond.

Ad. Heggie and the first robin of spring returned this week from the south country. Other migratory birds are also reappearing.

Mr. J. D. Brown returned last week from Calgary, with a handsome Hudson Six sedan.

The Intermediates left for Calgary yesterday to play the last game of the champ series tonight. They lost to Calgary here last Friday with a score of 31-28 so they go into action tonight with 3 points to the bad. Supporters here, however, are confident that they will more than make up this disadvantage and bring home the cup.

Announcement is made that the Great Northern Railway will construct a hotel at Waterton Lakes Park, south-west of Lethbridge, to cost one million dollars, with accommodation for 500 guests. The hotel will be close to the international border, and Glacier Park in Montana.

See the Rex Theatre Cash Prize Coupon in this issue. Cut it out, make your estimate and hand it in when you next attend the movies. It may mean dollars to you.

Business Men—High quality Manila for duplicate letter sheets. 1000 for \$2.00, 500 for \$1.25.—Business Men—Inkthirst Desk Blotters size 19 x 24 inches. Two for two bits.—Recorder office.



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Suppression Of Crime

In freedom from serious crime Canada enjoys a good name and reputation which is in striking contrast to that of its great neighbor, the United States. It is a name and reputation which Canadians should jealously guard and carefully maintain from peltings and actions which would in the slightest degree lower the standard so long maintained in this Dominion. A word of warning is in order because signs are not lacking of a tendency to grow somewhat lax in the matter of law enforcement.

In the United States crime has become a national menace, and in many respects the law has broken down. So serious has the situation become that responsible officials and nation-wide organizations, including the legal profession, are alarmed, and are looking about for some effective means of checking the reign of lawlessness and violent criminal acts now recognized as a national disgrace as well as danger, and which places the United States in an unenviable class by itself among the nations of the world. The rising tide of crime is now admitted to be one of the United States' greatest problems.

A study of some of the causes of the condition now existing in the United States may be of value to Canadians in safeguarding themselves and their country from the development of a similar state of affairs here. But first let us consider a few figures.

In 1922, 9,500 persons were killed in crimes of violence in the United States. In 1923, the number was 10,000, and in 1924 it had risen to 11,000. Compare these figures with England and Wales. In 1923 there were 58 murders committed in all England and Wales, and 93 homicides other than murder, a total of 151 as compared with 389 that same year in Chicago alone and 1,000 in the United States. The population of England and Wales at that time was 38,000,000 and of Chicago slightly less than 3,000,000. London and New York have approximately the same population, but London had just 42 murders in 1923 as compared with New York's 262. In 1923 more than twelve times as many people were robbed in one United States city alone, Chicago, as in all the Dominion of Canada.

The difference between the British and Canadian judicial systems, with judges appointed for life, and the United States system of judges chosen by popular election, is one cause of weakness across the line. But the chief factor in the increase of crime in the United States is undoubtedly the lack of law enforcement. In many of the large U. S. cities crime has become a well organized business. Many lawyers clever, but utterly unscrupulous, make it their business to defend the criminal class. They can command big fees, and they take full advantage of every twist and quirk in the law to get these law breakers off. Partisan elected judges, and politically chosen district attorneys, and a politically administered police force, cannot successfully cope with these lawyers, backed with unlimited resources from the criminal underworld.

Lack of law enforcement, and the abuse of the parole system, has resulted in the criminal class holding the law and law officers in contempt. Punishment has few terrors for them, because in the majority of instances they are confident they can beat the law. And they do.

In Canada and Great Britain, criminals have a wholesome respect for the law. They know it will be enforced without fear or favor. But, unfortunately, there has developed in late years a certain sickly sentimentality among people and some organizations for the criminal class. Those entrusted with the suppression of crime have sounded warnings, but many people think only of the criminal and not of the community, and nowadays hardly a murderer is sentenced to pay the penalty of his crime that petitions are not circulated asking for leniency.

In view of the high character of Canadian law, and the fact that people may well leave the administration of criminal law to them, especially as they are in full possession of facts unknown to the public at large.

A contributing factor to the rising tide of crime in the U. S. is the ease with which the criminal class, in fact, anybody, can obtain pistols and revolvers. With hardly an exception the cheaper magazines of the country carry scores of advertisements for the sale of pistols. They can be purchased cheaply and as easily as groceries. Yet a pistol has one use and one only—to be used by man against his fellow man, either in the hands of criminal, or by man in defence against a criminal. It is no longer used in war; it is not used in sport. Ninety per cent. of all murders in the U. S. are committed by the use of pistols, yet the appalling fact is that in the year 1924 alone nearly half a million pistols were manufactured in the United States.

Canada should maintain the most stringent laws against the carrying of concealed weapons, and there should be no lessening in law enforcement and in the infliction of adequate punishment upon all convicted law breakers. Criminals have no regard for the rights, property and lives of others; it is the height of folly to bestow unmerited sympathy upon them.

"Columbus of the Air"

The flight of Commander Ramon Franco and his companions has been one of the outstanding achievements of aviation. Haired as the "Columbus of the Air," Franco started on Jan. 22 his voyage from Palos, Spain, where Columbus set out on his first voyage of discovery in 1492, and finished their journey to Buenos Aires, Feb. 14. Commander Franco and his companions are the first aviators to span the South Atlantic entirely by air.

Sales of women's hats in Chicago last year totalled \$75,000,000.

Big Salmon Pack

Final figures on the salmon pack of British Columbia for 1925 issued recently by the Salmon Canners' section of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association show that in only one year in the history of the province has the total pack been greater than last year. Altogether 1,719,282 cases of salmon of all varieties were turned out in 1925 by plants of the British Columbia coast. In 1924 the total was 1,745,313 cases.

Eleven cubic feet of water, when frozen, make 12 cubic feet of ice.

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Would Ban This Royal Sport

Campaign is Launched in England Against Fox Hunting

The broken collarbone of the Prince of Wales and the ban on the movement of horses which caused a prevalence of the hoof and mouth disease, have brought about a campaign in England against fox hunting.

Two of the strongest arguments against the sports are its expense in proportion to the number of ridding foxes killed and its cruelty to the fox.

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Just Dip to Tint or Boil to Dye



Each 15-cent package contains directions so simple any woman can tint soft, delicate shades or dye rich, permanent colors in lingerie, silks, ribbons, skirts, waists, dresses, coats, stockings, sweaters, draperies, coverings, hangings—everything!

Buy Diamond Dyes—no other kind—and tell your druggist whether the material you wish to color is wool or silk, or whether it is linen, cotton or mixed goods.

Value of Field Crops

The aggregate value of all field crops in 1925 is \$1,159,361,900, as compared with \$995,235,900 in 1924. The value for 1925 is the largest since 1920, when the total was \$1,455,244,050 and the year 1925 is the first year since 1920 and the war period that the field crops of Canada have exceeded one billion dollars in value.

UTTERLY DISCOURAGED

This Was the Condition of a P. E. I. Woman Before Taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

"My illness began," says Mrs. M. J. Albert, R.R. No. 2, Alberton, P.E.I., when my husband went overseas and I was left with the care of a farm and stock, with no help but that of a young boy. My health broke down and for the first time in my life I became utterly discouraged. I lost my appetite, had no strength, and was ready to have a crying spell any moment of the day, as the work loomed up ahead of me. A friend happened to speak one day of the good Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and urged me to try them. I had no energy enough, or perhaps confidence enough, to try them, but she would not be denied and sent me three boxes, and by the time I had taken them I knew they were helping me and was anxious for more. I continued taking the pills for nearly six months and by that time I had safely passed a critical period in my life, and regained my usual good health. To all overworked, nerve-racked women—and there are a great many of them—I still say, and at all times, take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I know you will regain your energy."

There are many troubles due to weak, watery blood easily overcome by a fair use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The whole mission of this medicine is to purify and enrich the blood, and when that is done all the varied symptoms of anaemia disappear and good health returns. You can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills from any druggist or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Through Service For Steamship Passengers

Canadian Pacific Railway Insurators Through Tourist Sleeping Car Service

For the convenience of western passengers enroute to the Old Country, the Canadian Pacific Railway have inaugurated a through tourist sleeping car service from Winnipeg to Saint John, N.B.

These cars will leave Winnipeg on "The Imperial" at 10.00 a.m. every Tuesday until April 20th, providing through service to the ship's side at Saint John.

This service will prove extremely popular with passengers from the prairie provinces, eliminating as it does, changlug trains at Montreal.

The More the Merrier

Professor: I take great pleasure in giving you eighty-one in mathematics. Student: Make it a hundred and enjoy yourself sir.

It sometimes happens that the best man at a wedding really does have the best of it.

Why suffer from crows when they can be painlessly rooted out by using Holloway's Corn Remover.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

MARCH 11

LAST WORDS OF JESUS WITH HIS DISCIPLES

Golden Text: I am the way, and the truth, and the life. John 14:6. Lesson: John, Chapters 14 to 17. Devotional Reading: Isaiah 40:1-8.

Explanations and Comments

Christ the Comforter, verse 1.—"Let not your heart be troubled; believe in Me, believe also in Me," were the beautiful words which the disciples heard in Christ's last talk with them. They were perplexed and anxious; their hearts were failing them as they approached the last crisis in their Master's life. It was faith in the Father that kept Christ serene and peaceful so near His end, and faith in the Father and the Son would uphold the disciples in that terrible time.

What Jesus said to His troubled disciples He says likewise to us in times of storm and stress. Here lies the secret of an untroubled heart amid troubled circumstances—faith in a living, loving God and Savior. Let not trouble have dominion over you. Keep yourselves in the love of God and the peace of God shall guard your hearts and your thoughts in Christ Jesus.

"Let not your heart be troubled; ye believe in Me." Forgive us, Master, when we grieve!—Pardon the doubt wherein lurks all despair! O, God, is love, and God is everywhere! —(Stokely C. Fisher.)

Completely Relieved After Short Treatment

Ontario Man Suffered With Kidney and Bladder Trouble

Mr. H. Waldriff Highly Recommends Dodd's Kidney Pills

Englehart, Ont.—(Special).—"I have used Dodd's Kidney Pills for kidney and bladder trouble. After using a few boxes I felt completely relieved. Was also bothered with a sore back and can honestly say I have not been bothered with any of these symptoms since. Can highly recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills."

Mr. H. Waldriff, a well known resident of this place sends us this statement.

Dodd's Kidney Pills simply beat sick kidneys. They relieved Mr. Waldriff because his ailments were symptoms of kidney disease. When the kidneys get out of order they fail to strain the impurities out of the blood and general lassitude and weakness ensue. This condition is not only disagreeable but dangerous as well. The impurities in the blood are the seeds of disease. If they are not removed Rheumatism, Lumbago, Gravel, Dropsy, Diabetes, or Bright's Disease may result.

Obtained from druggists everywhere, or The Dodd's Medicine Co., Ltd., Toronto.

It is said that all the mean acts of his life are quickly brought before a drowning man. The same might be said of a candidate for office.

British Columbia's fine new Fraser Canyon highway will be open for general use about July 1st.

Advice For Young Mothers



—The Shaw Studio

Hamilton, Ont.—"Before the arrival of my little boy my health was very poor, my back hurt and my nerves were so upset I could not sleep. I grew very weak and miserable and suffered from morning sickness. Finally I saw Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription in the drug store where I trade, so I decided to try it, and it did me a world of good. It relieved me of all distress in my back, built me up in strength and my nerves did not give me any more trouble. I got along fine the remainder of the time and I had a very strong, healthy baby. In addition to keeping a woman healthy and strong it relieves her of a certain mental strain, from which most women suffer during motherhood."—Mrs. Joseph Curto, 147 Bay St., North. (Picture above.) Write Dr. Pierce, Pres. Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for free advice.

A Curious Occupation

Experts Move Tons of Mud Every Week Along River Thames

Among the many curious occupations and trades along the River Thames that of the "luter" is about the most curious and necessary, as well as a "perishing cold," as one Luter described it.

The Luter is a man in high top boots who pushes back the mud from the sloping entrance to the many warehouses from Blackfriars Bridge to Greenwich. When steamers or barges arrive at full tide and are made fast for unloading, the mud comes up with them and settles down. As soon as the vessel is cleared the mud has to be removed, and here the "Luter" comes in with his long-handled implement.

He and his fellows move tons of mud during the week and become so expert that contractors who run the business of "mud moving" keep them in their employ for years.

Swollen Joints, Quickly Limbered Up

Rub On Nerviline

You would be surprised at the wonderful action of "Nerviline" in just such cases. Being thin and not an oil preparation, it is able to penetrate quickly, and down it sinks into the tissues, carrying its healing, soothing action wherever it goes. For stopping muscular or nerve pain, for easing a stiff joint, Nerviline is a complete success. Pain, soreness, stiffness all vanish before the magic power of this wonderful liniment. Nearly fifty years of success proves the merit of Nerviline, which is sold everywhere in large 35 cent bottles.

Beatty May Succeed Byng

Nothing Official is Available Regarding Canada's Next Governor-General

Baron Byng of Vimy has not yet notified the British Government whether he will accept an invitation, already extended to him, to serve another term as governor-general of Canada, but it is understood by the Associated Press that in the event of his refusal Earl Beatty will be prominent among the candidates.

While the Duke of York, King George's second son, is being considered, it is said to be unlikely that he will serve at this time.

Premier Mackenzie King announced some time ago that Baron Byng of Vimy would not remain as governor-general of Canada beyond the term for which he was appointed.

He had been informed by his excellency, said Premier King, that nothing short of quite exceptional public need would permit him to consider remaining in Canada.

The term of Baron Byng expires next August.

Nothing official is available in regard to his successor.

Asthma Victims. The man or woman subject to asthma is indeed a victim. What can be more terrifying than to suddenly be seized with paroxysms of choking which seem to fairly threaten the existence of life itself. From such a condition Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has brought many to completely restored health and happiness. It is known and prized in every section of this broad land.

Cannot Export Electric Energy

Quebec Bill To Ban Export of Hydro Electric Power

Prohibition of the export of hydro-electric power produced in Quebec will become effective from the passing of a bill sponsored by Premier L. A. Taschereau in the legislature.

According to the terms of the bill all future contracts must contain a clause of a prohibitive nature. The law is also to be written into existing contracts and to their renewal.

Prince Is Real Sport

The Prince of Wales doesn't seek the easy road round the fences anyhow. If there's a jump to take he's there to take it, which proves he's a real sport, instead of a make-believe. —Gneiph Mercury.

When a mother detects from the writhings and fretting of a child that worms are troubling it, she can procure a reliable remedy in Miller's Worm Powders which will expel all worms from the system. They may cause vomiting, but this need cause no anxiety, because it is but a manifestation of their thorough work. No worms can long exist where these Powders are used.

Use Armored Car

That an armored train is being built by the German railway company as a means of protection against possible assaults by strikers and for armed battle, is charged by the labor union.

Minard's Liniment used by physicians. Preparedness prevents war. You seldom hear of a pedestrian run down by a five-ton truck.



Treat Colds Externally

For sore throat, bronchitis or deep chest colds, rub Vicks VapoRub briskly over throat and chest and cover with warm flannel.

Vicks acts in two ways—both direct: absorbed like a liniment and inhaled as a vapor. A quick relief for the cold troubles of all the family.

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OVER 21 MILLION JARS USED YEARLY

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Famous Art Museum Built As Palace Threatens To Fall

The Uffizi Gallery, at Florence, Italy, which was built as a palace in 1580, and which now is the most famous art museum in the world, is threatened with collapse.

Tests of the structure show it to be alarmingly weakened. Within the galleries are priceless pictures, books and manuscripts. Engineers will be employed to strengthen the building.

Raphael, Leonardo Da Vinci and Fra Bartolomeo are richly represented in the Uffizi collection.

Boy Astounds Scientists

Scientists in Denmark are amazed at the attainments of Bengt Stromgren, 16, son of Professor Ellis Stromgren, director of Copenhagen's astronomical observatory. The boy has constructed an electrical apparatus which automatically registers movements of the stars, thus saving astronomers long and patient watching through the telescope.

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Every pain yield quickly to the soothing influence of Minard's.

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FOR THE KIDNEYS
THE WORLD'S BEST REMEDY FOR ALL KIDNEY AND BLADDER TROUBLES

Fur Farming Industry In All Its Branches Is Now Firmly Established In Canada

Whatever doubts may have been entertained during the first experimental years regarding the future of fur farming in Canada have long been dispelled. The industry is now firmly established, has indeed branched out in various directions since the breeding of the fox was undertaken. According to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics in 1924, the number of fur farms in operation in Canada totalled 1,550, of which 1,466 were devoted to rearing foxes and 84 to other fur-bearing animals. Compared with 1923 the number of fur farms had increased by 323; fox farms by 287, and other farms by 36, the bureau reported. In his latest report the federal minister of agriculture records a further decided increase in the fur raising fur-bearing animals other than foxes. Nine ranches are rearing beavers; seven have taken up muskrats; fourteen, mink; thirty-two, mink; two, lynx; four, blue foxes; twelve, skunks; forty-one, raccoons; four, coyotes; sixty, muskrats and, at least, twenty, rabbits. He adds that the department is constantly receiving inquiries for information regarding the raising of various kinds of fur-bearing animals, with particular reference to muskrats, mink and chinchilla rabbits.

The value of these farms, including land, buildings, fixtures and animals aggregated \$10,566,120 in 1924, omitting muskrat and beaver farms, whose operators could not furnish exact statistics relating to their animals. Since in that year Canada had only 29 muskrat farms, two beaver and three mink muskrat and beaver, the expansion in other than fox farms during 1925 has been remarkable when the figures for 1924 and 1925 are compared. As regards the distribution of the farms in 1925, the figures show Prince Edward Island, 37 per cent.; Ontario, 16; Quebec, 12; New Brunswick, 9; Manitoba, 8; Alberta, 6; Nova Scotia, 6; British Columbia, 3; Saskatchewan, 2; and Yukon Territory, 1. At the close of that year four farms in Canada reported a total of 31,291 silver foxes, of which 21,361 were adults, valued at \$8,985,183, distributed thus: Prince Edward Island, 13,629; New Brunswick, 4,154; Ontario, 3,951; Quebec, 2,726; Nova Scotia, 2,397; Alberta, 1,585; Manitoba, 1,372; British Columbia, 583; Yukon Territory, 362, and Saskatchewan, 313. It is significant for the future of the industry that notwithstanding the increase in the number of farms and animals, the recent sales in Montreal showed the prices of silver fox pelts of best quality to have advanced 25 per cent. The total sales of the Canadian Fur Auction Sale Company at the September auctions reached \$1,500,000.

Reverting to the minister's report, it shows Canada to be particularly strong in muskrats, almost rivaling Russia and even Siberia. Exceptionally large muskrat ranches exist near Sydney, Cape Breton, and at Haddison, Saskatchewan. On the latter there are no fewer than two thousand breeding rats. It is claimed for this country that the muskrat skins produced here are the best in the world. They return between three and a half and four million dollars per annum. Muskrats multiply and thrive well in captivity; hence there is plenty of opportunity for further development. Mink also thrive in captivity. The skins are in good demand and command fair prices. Young mink and ready sub for breeding purposes. Chinchilla rabbits, although originated in France as late as twelve years ago, have already become extremely popular. They have been known in Canada for only two or three years, but the demand already exceeds the supply. However, large importations are being made, and as there seems no fear of their decrease in popularity, further development of chinchilla breeding may be looked for. The little animals multiply rapidly and their skins are worth from two to six dollars apiece. Four litters a year averaging seven to eight each are the usual thing.

Says the minister's report: "Since it does not require much capital to start in a small way, and as women are quite as successful as men in raising them, it is reasonable to suppose that the breeding of chinchilla rabbits will become a factor of some moment in the fur industry."

To Protect Teachers
Aroused by unprovoked attacks upon teachers in rural schools, the Government of Manitoba has under consideration amendment of the Public Schools Act as a means of affording greater protection to women teachers. Hon. Charles Cannon, minister of education, has announced.

Wintered Largest Herd In Canada

Brandon Man Has Over 600 Pure-Bred Cattle On His Farm

Constituting what is considered the finest herd on the North American continent, 600 pure-bred Aberdeen Angus cattle have been wintered in the Brandon district by J. D. McGregor. It is the largest herd ever wintered by this well-known breeder, and certainly the largest number of cattle kept through the winter months in that district by a single owner.

The main herd is located at the Glenora farm situated just south of the city limits, but the cattle are spread over ten different farm units. On each of these farms a separate herd of breeding cows is maintained, varying from 40 up to 250 head kept on the Glenora farm. Wintering conditions have been ideal this year, and for that reason more than passing success is being met in successfully fitting the cattle.

Many of the cattle are headed for the various exhibition circuits this coming year, and many more honors will be added to the Glenora record through their showings. There are few owners today who have earned the reputation across America that J. D. McGregor carries, and his brilliant wins at the Chicago International, Toronto Royal, Brandon and other leading fairs testify to the high quality of breeding operations carried on on such a large scale this winter.

Start Dog Farm

Reported That Chicago Contractor Will Engage In New Undertaking In Northern Manitoba

In view of the exceptional keen public interest now more than ever manifest in dog derby events as an ever increasing popular sporting feature, it is proposed by H. I. Sutton, contractor of Chicago, to immediately start in Northern Manitoba, somewhere in the locality of The Pas, a modern kennel farm for the better breeding and training of commercial and racing dogs. The enterprise will be known as the Sutton-Russick Dog Kennel Farm, and will be conducted on a large scale.

It will be remembered that Mr. Sutton, slightly over a year ago, became greatly interested in this form of sport and selected the famous "musher," Shorty Russick, dog breeder and trainer of The Pas, Man., as his ideal along this line of endeavor. Mr. Sutton plans to purchase several hundred acres of land and fence it so as to provide ample runways for the dogs during the period when they are being bred and trained.

"Clan Donald" Colonists

One Hundred Cottages and One Hundred Barns to be Erected on C.P.R. at Vermilion, Alta.

One hundred cottages and one hundred barns will be erected for the Canadian Pacific Railway at Vermilion, Alberta. These homes will house the "Clan Donald" colonists, who are being brought to Alberta by the company's department of colonization and development, in conjunction with the British Government and the Scottish Immigrant Aid Society. The unique feature of these new buildings is that the lumber is grooved and one piece interlocks with another, so that no technical skill is required to erect the houses.

Our Export Trade

Canada Occupies Second Place In World In Value of Exports Per Capita

Canadians at the present time are exporting their products to a hundred and forty countries and shipments to a hundred of these countries are substantial. Canada now occupies second place among the countries of the world in the value of exports per capita, as against seventh place in 1913. The Dominion was advanced from tenth to sixth place in the total value of export trade since 1913 and in the close of last year holds second place in percentage of increase in export trade.

Wants To Live Up World

Believing "this planet needs some life," Leo Novitsky, a stenographer who recently won \$500 in a contest, has donated the entire sum to the Jewish Community Centre for the purchase of bathing suits and Charleston dance music.

Some men escape the traps of others only to be caught in their own.

Dry newspapers make good polishers for windows, mirrors and ranges.

Canada's Rubber Trade

Largest Rubber Transmission Belts In The World Are Made In Canada

The largest rubber belts in the world, both conveyor and transmission, are made in Canada, stated A. H. Hannay, manager and secretary of the Rubber Association of Canada, in reviewing the activities of this industry for the past year. The value of Canadian rubber exports was \$615,518. One million more automobile tires were made last year; half a million more were exported than during the preceding year; and the total manufacture of tires amounted to over three million. In addition three and a quarter million pairs of Canadian tennis shoes were exported in 1925 with a value of \$1,153,310.

Wheat Exports

Show Large Increase In Both Quantity and Value For 1925 Over Previous Year

Total wheat exported from Canada to all countries during the six months ended January 31st last, was 178,154,178 bushels, valued at \$253,172,860. During the corresponding period a year ago, total exports of Canadian wheat were 96,672,063 bushels, valued at \$143,893,120. Shipments of wheat to the United Kingdom in the period under review totalled 136,067,237 bushels, valued at \$191,510,231, as compared with 75,367,809 bushels, worth \$113,753,620, in the same period of the preceding year.

Pure-Bred Stock

Not Now Necessary to Import Pure-Bred Sheep to Improve Stock In Canada

Speaking at the annual meeting of the Canadian Sheep Breeders' Association recently, H. S. Arkell, Dominion livestock commissioner, stated that the pure-bred sheep raised in Canada would stand comparison with sheep bred in any other country in the world. He commented upon the fact that it was now not thought necessary to import pure-bred stock from other countries for the improvement of the breed.

New Danish Air Service

A new Danish air service connecting Denmark and France will start on May 1. The service, which is via Boulogne, will leave Copenhagen at 5 a.m. and arrive in Paris at Bourget airdrome at 5 p.m.

Investigate Quality Of Wheat

Wheat Milling and Baking Laboratory To be Established at Alberta University

Announcement is made that the establishment of complete equipment for a wheat milling and baking laboratory at the Alberta University, has been completed. The resources of the university laboratory will be devoted wholly to a research programme approved at a recent conference of chemists and agronomists from the three prairie universities, called by the National Research Council. The most important item of this programme under way at present is the investigation of the quality of wheat produced in different districts and of practical methods for its improvement.

To Erect New Canneries

Canning Industry In Northern British Columbia Is In Flourishing Condition

Indications are that there will not be an idle cannery in the northern district of British Columbia this year, and that a number of new canneries will be erected. In addition to those mentioned recently to be built at Queen Charlotte Island the erection of new canneries or re-opening or extension of existing ones, is planned at Captain's Cove, Prince Rupert, Mill Bay, Somerville and at the Kamecan cannery on the Bulkley River.

Build Large Saw Mill

A Million Dollar Plant to be Erected at Vancouver

Construction of a new mill at Vancouver at a cost of more than \$1,000,000, to have a capacity of 250,000 feet of lumber and 200,000 shingles, will be commenced at once, G. H. Johnson, general manager of the Capilano Timber Company, announced. A railway connecting the company's timber limits in the Capilano Valley, with the new mill, and a large wharf already are under construction.

Has Confidence In World Court

Confidence in the fairness of the decisions of the world court and in the belief that the English-speaking nations will exert the most powerful influence for the reign of the law as against the reign of force, was expressed in an address by the British ambassador, Sir Esme Howard, before the "English-speaking Union of Baltimore, Md."

United States Navy Plans For Great Aerial Dreadnaughts Bristling With Heavy Guns

Will Raise Muskrats On Extensive Scale

Over 8,000 Acres at Swan Lake, B.C., Acquired For This Purpose

The largest muskrat farm in the world will be established at Swan Lake, forty miles northwest of Quesnel, B.C., according to J. E. McFarland, representative of the Muskrat Farms, Limited, of Vancouver. Late last fall his company acquired 8,159 acres of low-lying ground surrounding Swan Lake, also taking in the adjoining meadows and streams, already dotted with numerous muskrat and beaver houses, and which have given a fair living to a number of trappers for some years.

Mr. McFarland, who has had years of experience with animal life north of the Peace River, is going in to the property early, and will make arrangements for the location of the necessary buildings, and will also line up the right-of-way for the twenty-eight miles of wire-net fencing, which will be proceeded with as soon as weather conditions permit.

Canada's Egg Output

Total Value of Production For 1925 Placed at \$57,950,340

Canada's egg output during 1925 amounted to 224,778,867 dozen, valued at \$57,950,340, being the highest both in regard to quantity and value recorded since 1920, according to a report of the bureau of statistics. Production, together with value, by provinces was as follows: Prince Edward Island, 4,046,287 doz., \$890,183; Nova Scotia 3,867,237 doz., \$850,792; New Brunswick, 4,136,763 doz., \$910,089; Quebec, 22,041,625 doz., \$8,330,923; Ontario, 83,009,287 doz., \$26,702,786; Manitoba, 16,429,482 doz., \$3,350,191; Saskatchewan, 33,692,268 doz., \$7,075,376; Alberta, 26,751,959 doz., \$5,618,541; British Columbia, 14,476,550 doz., \$4,053,431; Indian Reserves, 321,104 doz., \$68,125.

The trouble with a great many men is they are never satisfied with wasting their own time.

United States navy plans for great dreadnaughts of the air, bristling with guns to ward off aeroplane attacks, under the netion of the house naval committee, providing for construction of two 6,000,000 cubic foot rigid airships in the \$100,000,000 naval expansion programme it recently reported to the house.

A glimpse of monsters that have been designed, given the commission by Rear Admiral William Moffett, navy air chief, shows seven of the new 50 caliber machine guns, 18 thirty-caliber, and one of the post-war one-pounder automatics, together with 9,700 rounds of ammunition for this weapon, as a part of the regular military load of each ship.

"The guns are so situated that an enemy aircraft cannot approach from any direction or angle without permitting a concentration of fire," Admiral Moffett says.

Instead of armour, the air dreadnaughts will rely on the non-inflammability of helium gas for protection against hostile aeroplanes. Plans for a 6,000,000 cubic footer drawn by a United States commercial concern, the navy officer said, had been calculated to show the value of such a ship as an aerial troop transport. She would have a capacity of 750 men with their individual fighting equipment, he explained, and could take that force 500 miles at a speed of 55 miles an hour and still retain a 50 per cent. fuel reserve.

"In this air vessel," the admiral continued, "inflated with 90 per cent. helium and 10 per cent. combustible gas, 500 men, each with 15 pounds of equipment, can be carried from San Francisco to Hawaii in 20 hours, with a 20-hour reserve of fuel."

"Forty rigids of this capacity could move a division over this distance."

Settlers Coming From Britain

New Agreement Gives a Tremendous Stimulus to British Migration

As a result of the new immigration agreement between Canada and the United Kingdom, there has been a marked awakening of interest in this Dominion on the other side.

Large numbers show that hundreds of applications are being received in London from prospective settlers. Owing to the fact that the agreement applies only to farmers, farm laborers and domestics, a considerable number of the applications have to be rejected, but, nevertheless, it is certain that there will be a tremendous improvement in the volume of immigration this year.

The Ottawa department has had an inquiry made into statements made in the British House of Commons by Hon. C. I. Amery, secretary for the dominions, in which he quoted figures showing a very large percentage of rejections by the Canadian authorities.

The information received indicates that Mr. Amery's figures were not right.

The actual number of applications and rejections of families applying for admission into Canada as of January 31, 1926, were: Applications, 1,176; rejections, 301.

Final figures of the single men and women who have been rejected were not yet to hand.

Makes Good Windbreaks

Sunflowers Serve Good Purpose While Trees Are Growing

One of the benefits derived from the planting on the prairies is the protection afforded against drying winds in summer. A growth of carananas or willow enables the farmer to produce all the ordinary vegetables and small fruits. While one is waiting for trees to grow a good shelter can be obtained by planting Italian sunflowers. Three rows of these with plants about six inches apart will check the winds of late summer when the effects of drought are most likely to be felt. The sunflowers need to be planted each year, but will serve a good purpose while a more permanent windbreak is coming on. Either as fodder or for the seeds they furnish the sunflowers are worth the trouble taken in growing them.

Wheat To Be Shipped West

Fifty million bushels of the 1925 prairie crop will move to Vancouver for reshipment during the present crop season, in the opinion of J. A. McColl, of the Vancouver harbor board. The total to date approximates 20,000,000 bushels.

Will Raise Muskrats

The leasing of Muskeg Lakes in Northern Alberta for the purpose of raising muskrats for the fur trade, is a new industry that is under way.

SPECIAL FEATURES ON C.N.R. BROADCASTS



Western Canadian broadcasting stations in the Canadian National Hallways, combined wide radio chain includes programmes to be given during March which are worthy of special mention. It is the aim of the company to set a high standard for radio broadcasting by all its stations and with this end in view arrangements were made with some of the best musicians in the Dominion to broadcast from C.N.R. stations in the west during the month of March.

The lower pictures show the famous Hart House String Quartet, of Toronto, composed of Genza de Krez, first violin; Harry Adaskie, second violin; Milton Blackstone, viola; Boris Hamburg, cello.

Inserts in the quartet group are Reginald Stewart, Canadian virtuoso pianist and conductor (left), of Toronto, and A. Leslie Garsdale, baritone, of Winnipeg (right). Mr. Stewart is one of the outstanding pianists of Canada.

CNRW, the first Canadian National broadcasting station, opened in the west, celebrates its second anniversary on March 31st for which date a special programme has been arranged, including several novelty features for which prizes will be given, and an address by W. D. Robb, vice-president in charge of radio for the system. The top picture shows the handsome studio of CNRW, situated in the Fort Garry Hotel, and Mr. Robb at the left.

WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

The Belgian Senate has ratified the debt funding agreement with the United States.

Cardinal Ruff, cousin of Cardinal Gaspari, papal secretary of state, is dead.

The Spanish Government has tacitly agreed to support Poland in her claim for a permanent seat on the League of Nations Council.

Lithuania has asked the intervention of the League of Nations against Poland in connection with recent frontier incidents.

King Albert, of Belgium, will preside over the opening session of the International Rotary Clubs at Ostend, in June. Seven thousand Rotarians are expected to attend.

King Fuad has accepted an invitation from King George to visit London. He hopes to make the trip early in June after the opening of the Egyptian Parliament.

Pleaders have been barred from Madrid bullfights. The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals obtained this ruling from the mayor, who is a lover of horses.

Commander Franco, who brought fame and glory to his country by his epochal flight from Spain to Argentina, returned to Spain, with his flying companions, aboard a warship.

A proposal to repudiate Belgium's foreign debts contracted before the armistice, and to pay post-armistice debts on the rate of the Dawes plan receipts from Germany, was introduced in parliament by Senator Charles Magnette.

The dirigible Nerges, with which Raold Amundsen plans to journey to the North Pole, has carried out a successful eight-hour trial flight over Rome. The blimp, carrying thirty persons, circled over Rome, several times.

Dr. Henry Spaulding, who claims to have discovered a method for curing tuberculosis in man and beast, is recuperating on the Riviera from an illness believed to have been due to breathing tubercle bacilli in his Geneva laboratory, says a dispatch.

The four Australian wheat pools have invited the Canadian wheat pools to send a delegation to Australia in August. J. M. McDonald, of Adelaide, South Australia, says that he is expected to pay the penalty of his crime that peddlers are not circulated.

Following the conference at St. Paul, Minn., he decided that the Canadian and Australian wheat pools could work together.

Repudiates Fascist Government

Pope Denies Mussolini's Right to Enact Ecclesiastical Reform Laws

Pope Pius has repudiated the Fascist Government's right to enact ecclesiastical reform legislation. During recent months there have been persistent rumors that an accord between Mussolini and the Vatican was in the making, but the Pope's repudiation, contained in a letter to Cardinal Gaspari, indicates that reports of compromise on the part of the church were without foundation. His holiness addressed Gaspari regarding ecclesiastical legislation, which soon is to be advocated by the government. The Pope remarks that several religious experts have been invited by the government to participate in drafting the laws.

"The fact that clerical experts have been invited may cause the belief that it is done in agreement with the Holy See," wrote the Pope, "but no agreement exists and these experts have received no mandate from us."

"Regarding legislation which belongs to the sacred power of God," wrote the Pope, "we declare that on such subjects we cannot recognize in others any rights to legislate unless through convenient negotiations and legitimate agreements with us."

"No suitable negotiations nor legitimate agreement can, or will, occur so long as the iniquitous conditions imposed upon the Holy See and Roman pontiff exist."

Unto the End

"By the way," said the lawyer who was drawing up the will, "I notice that you've named six bankers to be your pallbearers. Wouldn't you rather choose some friends with whom you are on better terms?"

"No; that's all right," was the quick reply. "Those fellows have carried me so long they might as well finish the job."—Boston Transcript.

Another Game Reserve

Hon. J. E. Perreault, minister of colonization, mines and fisheries, has brought in a measure to provide that the Island of Anticosti in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, shall on proclamation become a protected reserve for the acclimatizing, breeding and conserving of all kinds of fish and game.

W. N. U. 1619

Was Nephew Of Livingstone

Relative of Famous Explorer Dies in Ninety-First Year

Another link relating the great African explorer, Dr. David Livingstone, to the present century was severed with the death at his residence, 65 Queen's Drive, Weston, Ont., of Neil Mackenzie Livingstone, his eldest nephew.

The late Mr. Livingstone was in his 91st year and was, therefore, in early manhood when the exploits of his famous uncle were on everybody's lips. In 1871, when Stanley was leading his relief expedition into the heart of Africa, deceased was thirty-six years of age, and along with the rest of the world was awaiting eagerly the dispatches announcing progress.

Two years later news came of the explorer's death in Africa, although his journals were saved and given to the world.

Has To Abandon Plan

Snow Motors Not Feasible For Hauling Supplies For Polar Expedition

The attempt of Alexander M. Smith, to haul supplies for the Wilkins' trans-Polar expedition to Point Barrow by snow motor has been called off by Captain George H. Wilkins.

Smith started from Nenana, near Fairbanks, Alaska, with 15 tons of gasoline and supplies on ten sledges.

The two snow motors used to haul the sledges have broken down repeatedly and have been able to negotiate only 70 miles in two weeks of the 500-mile trail to Point Barrow in time to be of assistance to the flights, Wilkins said.

The explorer believes the local aviation field can be enlarged sufficiently to permit the large biplanes of the expedition to take off when fully loaded.

Colony Of Hungarian Nobility

Several Titled Hungarian Families Take Up Land in Manitoba

As a result of the efforts of the Canadian Colonization Association, Manitoba is developing a colony of Hungarian nobility. In 1925, after the confiscation of their estates in Transylvania, Julius von Plossak de Zsolna, colonel of the Imperial Hungarian Hussars, and Count Gosa Pacifici, came out to Western Canada under the auspices of the Canadian Pacific Railway and secured a section of land near Regina, Manitoba, which they have developed into a first rate dairy farm.

Three additional families of the Hungarian nobility joined them shortly afterwards and now Count Bela Szapary, of Budapest, has secured an adjoining farm.

A New Oil Industry

Rattlesnake Oil Used In Medicine Brings Mexicans \$100 a Gallon

Rattlesnake oil at \$100 a gallon has brought a new industry to Texas. (Cleo) long has been known as an oil centre, but this is an entirely new phase of the business. The oil is used in medicine.

This is the time for harvesting the rattlesnake crop, because the rattlers are dormant. A keen eye and a quantity of dynamite are required. Search is made among the hills for a den of rattlers. The den is dynamited, and the snakes are brought out. They are then rendered into oil.

One snake produces only a small quantity, but sometimes several hundred snakes are found in one den.

Would Be Unusual Case

Motorist Alleges Inscription On Boy's Tombstone Is Libelous

Can a tombstone inscription be libelous?

Blanche Bellaver, of Litchfield, Ill., may put the question up to a jury. If she decides to bring suit against the relatives of a six-year-old boy who was killed when he ran in front of her automobile.

The inscription on the boy's tombstone reads: "Lester Buttol, killed by Blanche Bellaver, Oct. 1, 1925."

Miss Bellaver is threatening to bring suit on the ground that the epitaph is libelous. A corner-a jury exonerated her of all blame for the little boy's death.

Is a Lie Ever Justified

Yes, when it redeems a state of things worse than itself.

A doctor often has to deceive his patients in order to save their lives.

If I met a man chasing a woman with the intent to kill her, and he asked me the way she had gone, I should feel justified in misdirecting him.

Other instances will suggest themselves, such as a Herod, the murderer of John the Baptist, who would not lie but would kill.

Yet these extraordinary cases only show the paramount necessity of telling the truth.—Rev. D. S. Parkes Cadman.

New Lieut.-Governor of B. C.



His Honor Robert Randolph Bruce, whose appointment as Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia was announced while he was in England. He arrived in Canada on board the Canadian Pacific steamer Montrose, and proceeded at once to his home at Windermere, B.C.

Germany's Industrial Situation

People Recovering From Poverty Endured Since the War

I have been hearing a good deal about the inside of Germany, and learn that Sir Philip Dawson, M.P., is shortly publishing a work on its industrial situation. No Englishman can better estimate it. At last the middle-class—that is, the professional and medical men and their families—for the first time are beginning a little to recover from the terrible poverty they have endured since the war.

Everybody works hard, but there is a great shortage of capital, and immense Teutonic efforts are to be made to obtain it, if not from private investors, at least from American and English bankers. One authority assures me that Prussianism is killed by the war, and that there is no ill-feeling towards the English. The hatred of the French is intense. During the occupation of the Ruhr, the French displayed the same tactlessness which has made them such a failure as a colonizing power.—Liverpool Weekly Post.



Day of the Good Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

Adapted to the girl of six to fourteen years of age, this smart cashmere frock for general wear reveals such new features as the raglan sleeve cut at the shoulder, and interesting collar. There is a slight fullness at the shoulder pockets proclaim their usefulness. The circular skirt is in two pieces, and attached to the bodice at the low waistline. The collar is convertible and may be worn turned back with the long tie ends on, or tied lower down. No. 1259 is in sizes 8, 10, 12, and 14 years. Size 10 years requires 3 1/2 yards 36 inch, or 2 1/2 yards 54-inch material. Price 20 cents.

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ON THE AIR

What Is Doing in the World of Radio

An opinion from corporation counsel in Chicago holds that operation of radio loud speaker late at night is disorderly conduct.

The radio crystal receiving set, which confines reception mainly to the nearest broadcasting station, still is the predominant type used in the British Isles.

The newest and most powerful radio broadcasting station in Northern Alberta is being erected in King Edward Park, Edmonton, by the International Bible Students' Association.

Mayor Mitchell, of Windsor, is sponsoring a novel plan for the entertainment of patrons of the principal Windsor parks this summer. He proposes to have installed radio sets with amplifiers. The possibilities are endless and the cost low, the mayor says.

Two-way radiophone conversations across the Atlantic with England reached a high point of perfection recently, officials of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company of New York reported. Amateur listeners heard the conversation on 12,000 metre wave lengths both ways.

A new record for amateur radio communication is believed to have been established by a Vancouver amateur, Earl Chang, when Mr. Chang was in communication with a ship lying in Discovery Inlet, Antarctic Ocean, a distance of more than 10,000 miles from Vancouver, for more than fifty minutes.

As pastor of the world's only aerial cathedral, which has neither length, breadth or thickness, and is without site or location or latitude of any kind, Rev. Paul Rader, of Chicago, numbers his congregation by the tens of thousands. Rader heads the National Radio Chapter there and every Sunday he conducts day-long services over station WHT, which is under contract for 10 years for this purpose.

Woman Leaves Three Millions For Animals

English Lady Will's Fortune For Bettering Their Condition

Her love for animals led an English lady, Mrs. S. M. Grove-Kent, of London, to leave practically her whole fortune of over \$5,000,000 for the betterment of the condition of animals.

Her bequests included: Dodd's money, this money, \$50,000 to the People's Dispensary for Sick Animals.

\$10,000 to the R.S.P.C.A., on condition that the chairman and members of committees shall be anti-vivisectionists and opposed to sports involving the death of stag, deer, fox, hare, rabbit or any bird, fish or any other animal; and shall use every means to abolish such sports.

\$9,000 to the Anti-Vivisection Hospital, Battersea.

After various other bequests, the residue of her property is left on trust for founding a society for opposing sport and protecting animals. She abhorred hunting and blood sports, and was strong in her denunciation of those who spend hours in harrying a fox or a stag to death. The wanton destruction of game as a means of sport was also among her pet abominations.

The legacy of \$50,000 to the R.S.P.C.A., the governors were compelled to decline on account of conditions attached to the bequest.

Those who knew the deceased, described her as "A charming little old lady, with a mid-Victorian atmosphere about her. Her large fortune was inherited, and came from the woolen trade."

Canada's Electric Power Development

Holds Second Position Among Nations Of the World in Amount of Energy Developed

Canada now leads the world in the generation of electric power per capita according to the latest statistics available, having a per capita generation of 878 kw. hours. Switzerland comes next with 505 and United States third with 451. The total installation of electric power in Canada is 8,099,192,000 kw. hours, which places Canada in second position among the nations of the world in regard to power developed.

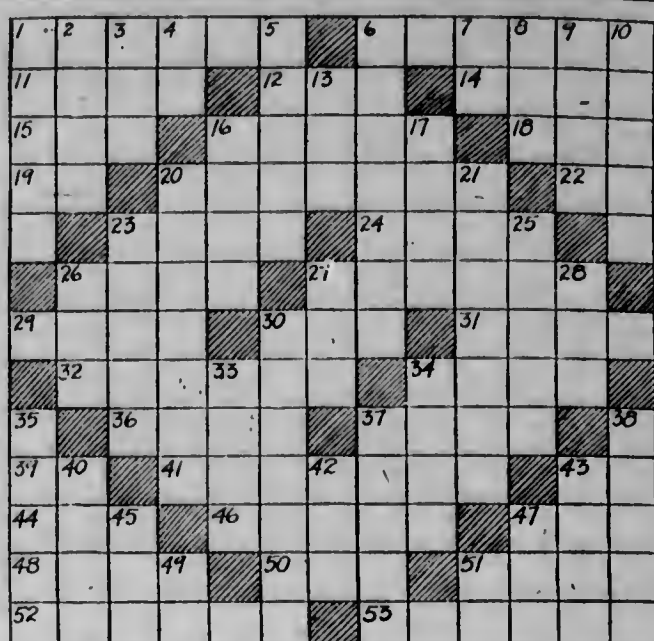
Buys Famous Blacksmith Shop

The old Catch Taft blacksmith shop, situated in the Chestnut Hill district, Mass., immortalized by Longfellow in his "The Village Blacksmith Shop," has been purchased by Henry Ford.

It is a plan of Mr. Ford that the building shall be added to his collection of buildings and objects of historical interest in the vicinity of Wayside Inn, Sudbury.

From the bachelor's viewpoint, marriage is a failure because he fails to marry.

OUR CROSSWORD PUZZLE



Horizontal

- 1—Property.
- 6—Belong away.
- 11—Chirrup.
- 12—Grab.
- 14—Musical instrument.
- 15—Silly meaning belonging to.
- 16—To skin.
- 18—A case of wood.
- 19—Towards.
- 20—One who speeds.
- 22—A continent (abbr.).
- 23—Heavenly body.
- 24—Covers with ice.
- 26—To come into existence.
- 27—Filling an inkwell.
- 29—City in Brazil.
- 30—A meadow (prov. Eng.).
- 31—To shut close.
- 32—Tans over.
- 34—Employs.
- 36—A prescribed guide for conduct.
- 37—To make indistinct.
- 39—A bone.
- 41—A small, loosely.

Vertical

- 1—Gives forth.
- 2—A store pit for green fodder.
- 3—Small mound.
- 4—Article.
- 5—Come in.
- 6—Remaining.
- 7—In such manner.
- 8—Recede.
- 9—Midday.
- 10—A state.

twisted line of two strands.
43—Pronoun.
44—Indian.
46—The outer garment of the Roman nation, worn over the tunic.
47—Encountered.
48—Near.
50—Bulky piece of timber.
51—Identical.
52—In a droll manner.
53—One who edits.

- 13—Part of verb "to be."
- 16—Nine inches.
- 17—One quarter of a bushel.
- 20—A layer.
- 21—To issue again.
- 23—More sore.
- 25—To show contempt.
- 26—To shut out.
- 27—Insurnee (abbr.).
- 28—Aeriform liquid.
- 30—Sluggishly.
- 33—An exclamation expressive of sorrow.
- 34—Bone of the forearm.
- 35—Discovered.
- 37—The lower part of a ship's under water body.
- 38—A measure of length.
- 40—Mix.
- 42—A card game.
- 43—A note.
- 45—Self.
- 47—Small rug.
- 49—House of Lords (abbr.).
- 51—7th musical note.

A Stabilized Easter

Simpler Calendar Is Desirable and Fixed Date May Be Nearer

Easter falls this year on April 4. This makes February 17 Ash Wednesday. The great Christian festival comes in 1926 about midway between the earliest and latest dates on which it may occur—March 22 and April 25 respectively. The Vatican authorities

contemplate establishment of a fixed date for Easter. Should they do this it is practically certain that all western Christians would accept the day so fixed, and since the eastern Christians have generally adopted the Gregorian calendar they would be likely to do the same. However, as the church authorities of 1582 discussed seriously the establishment of Easter as a fixed feast this reform may be postponed a few years longer without causing surprise.

In the agitation for revision of the calendar ecclesiastical usage plays a highly important part, yet the inconvenience of maintaining independent church and secular calendars is obvious, and with scientists, churchmen and business men generally agreed that a simpler calendar is desirable the installation of a fixed Easter may be approachably nearer.—New York Sun.

Old Letter Discovered

Painted On Silk and Contains 13,000 Chinese Characters

With fragile history attached to it, an old letter has been presented to the Pope by the Vicer Apostolic of Seoul. The letter is painted on silk and contains 13,000 Chinese characters. It was written in 1801 to the Bishop of Peking suggesting plans to save the persecuted Church in Korea. It was intercepted by the police, and both writer and bearer were arrested and killed. Missionaries in China recovered the letter about thirty years ago when the police archives were dispersed.

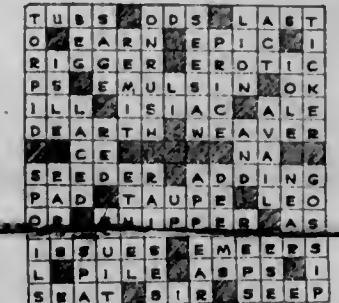
Soviets Will Not Enter Switzerland

Russia declined to participate in the international radio conference to be held under the auspices of the League of Nations, March 25. Russia's reply to the invitation reads: "We are much interested in the conference, but cannot participate unless it is held outside of Switzerland, because Switzerland has been boycotted by the Soviet Government since the murder of M. Vorovsky."

Saving Huge Sums

The secretary of the Dominion fuel board, C. D. Hotchkiss, has pointed out that the importation of American hard coal is on the decline. In 1924, Canada imported around 3,500,000 tons, and in 1925 the importation had fallen to 2,000,000 tons. So Canada is saving huge sums of money by being forced to look for some substitute for anthracite.—Kingsford Standard.

Answer to Last Week's Puzzle



An Expensive Business

Photographing Eclipse of Sun Cost \$30,000 a Minute

Photographing the total eclipse of the sun at an approximate cost of \$30,000 a minute was the experience enjoyed by three prominent passengers on the C.P.R. steamship Empress of Russia which docked at Vancouver recently from the Orient.

The scientists, Captain L. Domitich, of Yale University, and two Harvard astronomical students, Wilson Powell and Adrian Rubel, are members of the Swarthmore College expedition who journeyed to the island of Sumatra to photograph the latest eclipse of January 14.

On the results of these photographs taken under the direction of Dr. J. A. Miller, well known American astronomer, hangs the fate of the Einstein theory, Captain Domitich explained. The plates which were sent to New York will be developed at the Swarthmore laboratories, Philadelphia, and the success or failure of the photographs should be known in about two months time.

Change In Direction Of Japanese Current

Earthquake Three Years Ago Believed To Be Responsible

The Japanese Current, which is believed to have somewhat changed its course since an earthquake in Japan in 1923, is forcing fish in Alaska to find new havens, declared a herring fleet operator of Douglas, Alaska. "It is generally believed among Alaskans that the earthquake caused a change in the direction of the Japanese current. This winter, for the first time since 1902, there has not been any snow. Days are sunny, with the temperature ranging around 45 and 50 degrees."

Good Money Customers

Last year the honey sent from Canada to the Netherlands amounted to 262,000 pounds, having a value of \$26,420—a very substantial increase over the returns for the preceding year. The Hollanders are certainly Canada's second best customers as regards honey.

In the straits of Florida the gulf stream is 32 miles wide.

ANOTHER BOOKLET for FARMERS

In pursuance of its policy of friendly co-operation with the farming interests of this country, the Bank of Montreal is now issuing a new text book for farmers, entitled "Hogs for Pork and Profit." The booklet is a practical guide to the breeding and feeding of pigs, and its value is greatly increased by photographs illustrating every point that is made. A copy may be obtained, without charge, on application at our nearest branch.

Previous booklets distributed by the Bank are—

"Diversified Farming"

"The Cow, the Mother of Prosperity"

"Poultry for the Farm and Home"

The Bank has distributed tens of thousands of these booklets throughout Canada, and numerous farmers have expressed their appreciation to our local Managers.

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Correspondence

Editor Recorder:—

The attention of the mayor, council men and citizens of Raymond is respectfully called to the problem that confronts citizens residing on the higher slopes of the city. These citizens for many years have tolerated the inconvenience of water shortage that has occurred too frequently, but never before has the condition been more serious than at present time. During the past two weeks there has not been a day without a shortage of water in the districts referred to. Citizens have been compelled to either store water early in the morning and use stale water for drinking purposes or go without for the whole day, while people residing in the lower section of town are using unlimited supplies for horses and cattle.

A little more co-operation on the part of citizens and IMMEDIATE action by the mayor and civic council is requested.

W. C. Stone.

The classic opera "Martha" will be produced by local players tomorrow night at the Opera House. Mr. Tollestrup who has the production in charge, informs us that all of the principals are well up in their parts, and that the choruses are exceptionally well prepared. No one should miss seeing this beautiful musical offering.

News Notes

The marriage of Miss Zella Wall to Mr. Leonard Cox, both of Raymond, was solemnized at the Cardston temple last Wednesday. Their many friends wish them much happiness.

The interior of the second ward meeting house has been repainted and now presents a fresh, clean appearance.

At the annual horse sale held at High River, Alberta, the past week a top price of \$410 was bid for one team of horses. A total of 200 horses were sold at an average price of \$75.

The fully equipped Essex Coach is now being sold in Raymond for \$1330. See Fred Lind, Raymond.

Board of Trade meeting tonight at the town at 8 o'clock. Important business. Be there.

Emil Weed has sold his farm to Clifford Dahl and will sell all of his farm stock and equipment at a sale to be held next week. He will cease farming operations and will devote his time to other interests.

WANTED—To buy Setting Hens, any kind.—Hamp Withack, Raymond.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Zabriskie, a daughter, Utah. Mr. Zabriskie returned here on Tuesday.

Mrs. Ben Cardwell and Mrs. H. Stevens returned on Wednesday from a visit to California.

Best pulp is fast being consumed. Out of the initial 10,000 tons only 1500 tons remain.

Basketball Situation

The following telegram was received from J. I. Page of Edmonton regarding basketball dispute: 19th have deposited \$150 with me to be paid to Jacks on positive assurance of replay. Do your best to hurry replay.

The Jacks reply: Will play in Edmonton, Jacks retaining 10 point lead, providing 19th will refund \$150 due us and guarantee \$250 to cover expense of trip to Edmonton or will play in Raymond on even point basis and will guarantee 19th \$250 to cover expense of trip to Raymond providing 19th will refund \$150 due us.

Or will play in Calgary, Jacks retaining 10 point lead, dividing gate on 50-50 basis providing 19th will refund \$150 due us. Referee to be a man from neither Edmonton or Raymond and appointed by the executive of the A. B. A. as per executive ruling.

All guarantees to be confirmed before visiting team leaves home.

Have your harness repaired at E. J. Shaffer's farm, north of Sugar Factory.—Edw. Shaffer.

Notice to Patrons of Duffy the Tailor

Owing to a very serious operation upon my brother, who is in a Vancouver hospital, I am compelled to leave my business here for a short period. Will return as soon as possible. Any work now in my shop will be delivered by Mr. McCarthy at Hotel Raymond.

DUFFY THE TAILOR.

Auction Sale

Having sold my farm I offer for sale at public auction all my farm stock and equipment, Saturday, March 27th at 2 o'clock, at my lot just north of C. F. Tollestrup's residence, Raymond. For complete list see posters.—E. Weed, Raymond.

MARTHA

Floto's Popular Opera in Five Big Acts

Presented by the Taylor Stake Choir

Raymond Opera House Saturday, Mar. 20

AT 8:15 P. M.

Matinee at 3 o'clock. Admission 10c.

Cast of Characters

Lady Harriet, maid of honor to Queen Anne..... Louie O. Brantley
Nancy, her friend..... Blanche F. Scoville
Sir Tristan Mickleford, cousin to Lady Harriet..... Lee Brewerton
Lionel, an unknown..... Ira McBride
Phinkett, his foster brother..... Joe McLean
Sherrill of Richmond..... C. W. Stone

CHORUS:—Wyona Hawkins, Dorothy Nurse, Ruth Holt, Martha Mitchell, Pauline Redd, Mary Woolley, Thelma Smith, Irene Coombs, Edna Rolfsen, Lucy Roberts, Clara Rolfsen, Adeline Perks, May Snow, Ethel Tollestrup, Mary Redd, Marjorie Bennett, Edith Woolley, Alice Evans, Ora Hicken, Bert Coombs, Thos. Roberts, Louis King, Kay Redd, Glenn Tollestrup, Frank Shaw, Orvin Hicken, Irvin Evans.

ACT I—Lady Harriet's Bondair

ACT II—The Richmond Fair.

ACT III—Farm House of Lionel and Phinkett.

ACT IV—A Hunting Scene.

ACT V—Same as Act I.

"MARTHA" contains everything that goes to make up an evening of highest class entertainment. It is chock full of catchy musical airs, sparkling comedy, scintillating dances, drama, laughter, pathos and heart interest.

ORCHESTRA—Violins, Lief Erickson, Duncan Weaver, Kenneth Stone, Cornets, Paul Redd, Arvid Nielsen, 1st Horn, Wm. R. Clark, Clarinet, G. A. Laycock, M. T. King, 2nd Horn, Erickson, Cello, D. Bennett, Trombone, R. W. Tollestrup, Traps, Theo. Allen, Pianists, Mrs. Ethel Tollestrup, N. Lorenzo Mitchell, C. F. Tollestrup, seat in Parliament.

NO WAITS BETWEEN ACTS

Musical Director C. F. Tollestrup. Stage Director, Lyle Redd. Lights, Dan Hawkins. Dances, N. L. Mitchell.

Reserved Seats 75c

Seat Sale Peter Pan Cafe

Gen. Admission 50c

Kids in Gallery 25c

Rex Theatre Cash Prize Coupon

Submitted by

I estimate that the total number of paid admissions to the Rex on Monday, March 22nd will be.....

Showing on this night: "REVELATION"

A CASH PRIZE of 10% of the total admissions money (exclusive of tax) will be paid to the person who is in attendance at this show and who has made the nearest estimate to the number of paid admissions on the said date. This coupon may be handed in with your admission ticket up to and including Saturday night, March 20th. In case of a tie, or ties, the prize will be distributed equally among the winners.

*Another Estimate Contest for the night of Monday, March 20th when "Turmoil" will be shown. Coupons may be had at the Broadway Store or Rex Theatre commencing Monday March 22nd.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that under the provisions of The Water Users' Districts Act, 1920, the undersigned has been appointed to hold an election of three duly qualified persons to compose the board of managers of the Water Users' District of Raymond, which comprises the following area:

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The persons entitled to vote are the members of the water users' association of the said district, i. e., such persons as are of the full age of twenty-one years who are occupiers of land situate within the district.

Now therefore the electors so qualified to vote are hereby notified to attend at the Raymond Town Hall on the 27th day of March, 1926, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon at which hour and place I will proceed to receive nominations for persons to serve as such managers and if at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon of the said day more than three persons have been nominated I will forthwith proceed to hold a poll and receive the votes of persons qualified to vote which poll will continue open until and close at the hour of five o'clock in the afternoon of the said day at which time I shall declare the result of the poll.

Dated this 17th day of March, 1926.

O. H. SNOW, Returning Officer.

Where King Carnival Holds Sway



Upper left—The party at Kent House; a snow-ball fight. Upper right—Skiers at Hallsfield Park, Quebec. Lower left—Ski-joring. Lower right—Motorcycle.

Special holiday festivities at Christmas, including a superb fireworks display at the Chateau Frontenac opened the two months winter sports season programme of the Frontenac Club at Quebec City. These continued all Christmas week and were followed on December 30 by the international intercollegiate ski competition in which two entries from Yale and entries from McGill, Loyola and University of Montreal at Montreal, Ottawa College at that city, and Laval University of Quebec, competed in a five-mile cross country ski race and in ski jumping. The former was won by McGill and the latter by Loyola while Loyola also won the Frontenac Winter Sports Club trophy for the best aggregate of points in the competition.

The opening of the New Year was featured by hockey games in one of which Princeton University played a Quebec team, Sons of Ireland, and were defeated. There were also bob-sled races and ski-joring.

Continuance of fine weather and favorable snow conditions have brought the winter sports well into their stride and after the first American invasion by the Dr. Tozier party of about 270 people from Boston, there came a further descent of many tourists from various states in the Union to partake of the keen, invigorating air and exhilarating sport offered in such abundance. Both the first and all succeeding parties put up at the Chateau Frontenac. Individual groups from across the line are also swelling the list of guests and it may be mentioned that two Shea Tours are scheduled to arrive at Quebec next month.

The combination of the last word in luxury at the Chateau Frontenac with every variety of winter sports right at the door of that continent-known hotel accounts for the large influx of visitors. Skiing can be indulged in with no delay or discomfort as skis may be put on in the hotel and then one steps right out on to crisp even snow runs and jumps. Skating is catered to by a rink that is located right on the famous Dufferin Terrace onto

which the hotel opens. A half-mile toboggan run, brilliantly illuminated at night, sends the devotees of this form of sport whizzing at a 60-mile an hour clip straight up to the main entrance of the hotel. These are only a few of the winter pleasures so lavishly furnished.

For those who prefer to take their outings more seriously and with a greater expenditure of energy, excursions on snow-shoes or skis have been arranged which will carry the enthusiasts to places famous in history, such as Ste. Anne de la Riviere, Saguenay, Saguenay Falls, and across the ice to the Gulf of St. Lawrence to the Island of Orleans.

High lights in the winter sports programme take in international hockey matches, of which Princeton-Sons of Ireland is a fair example. The same Quebec team will also meet a team from Dartmouth University. The big noises are, however, two, February 6 and 7 sees the holding of the International Snowshoe Union during which world and Canadian Championship snowshoe races will be run. It is expected that nearly 3,000 uniformed snowshoers will be present from all over Canada and the United States. All sorts of old-world French-Canadian customs and unique features will distinguish this event.

Following the Mardi Gras festival and carnival on February 16 the International Dog Derby will be held February 18-19-20. It will cover 135 miles in all and will be over a distance of 45 miles a day. Many teams from Eastern and Western Canada, from the New England States, and even as far as Chicago are scheduled to take part.

The Curling Bonspiel week and open championship Bob Sled races will bring the season to a conclusion February 27. One of the most popular features of recent years is the team of husky-dogs under the guidance of Arthur Beauvais the well-known Indian guide, and led by the redoubtable "Mountie", which takes passengers for long mushes across country and which are sometimes used to pull sleds.

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According to official figures issued by the Redemptorist Friars, about 300,000 pilgrims visited the famous Ste. Anne de Beaupre shrine during the season of 1928. Thirty-nine countries were represented. Of the number mentioned, 145,000 came by car and the remainder by train.

Seven Americans, touring the world on the Canadian Pacific liner "Empress of Scotland," welcomed the New Year from the top of the Great Pyramid in Egypt. Four young ladies and three men left their party camped on the sands of the Sahara and climbed the pyramid, "for a little excitement."

Two new steamship lines have made Halifax a port of call this year, and during the first six months of the year the increase in ship tonnage was over one million tons. For the ten months of 1925 the increase in ship tonnage, compared with the same period last year was over 1,500,000.

Canada's exports to Soviet Russia have increased three hundred fold during the past twelve months. Trade figures available show that in the twelve months ending October 31, Canada exported goods valued at \$14,000,000 to Russia, as compared to \$13,000 for the preceding twelve months.

Four international sporting events are to be held at Quebec in February. There will be the

including 1,000 men coming from the State of Maine; a hockey match between the Sons of Ireland and the Dartmouth College team; the Hubbard Curling Bonspiel; and the International Dog Sled Derby.

George Rollin, ynd agent at Place Viger Station, Montreal, retired under pension arrangements on January 1, 1926, after forty-six years of service with the C.P.R. He entered the employ of the Company as messenger at Hochelaga, now called Place Viger Station, on April 24, 1879. J. A. S. Raelcot has been appointed to fill Mr. Rollin's position.

Four students from British Universities, comprising the British Imperial Debating Team, are now in Canada meeting a number of Canadian university and college debating teams in a wordy battle on the merits of "The Geneva Protocol and The League of Nations"; "The Degeneracy of Western Civilization," and "The Singapore Base."

From 40,000 to 50,000 British emigrants will come to Canada under the new cheap passage arrangements made by the Canadian and British Governments and transportation companies. Hundreds of inquiries have already been received from those anxious to benefit by the new plan and among them are many from domestic servants.

Twenty prairie chickens were interviewed in Montreal recently and cast infinite scorn on the East. They hopped about in great excitement at meal time. The interviewer asked, "Take you a long time to pick up as good eats out West at this time of year, eh?" A chorus of shrill voices answered disdainfully, "Tut-tut-tut." They were shipped out of the country by Dominion Express, for contempt of the East.

From August 1 to December 13, 1925 inclusive, a total of 201,476,804 bushels of grain were marketed along Canadian Pacific western lines. Of this amount there were 161,191,336 bushels of wheat and 37,778,806 bushels of other grains. Loadings for the same period were 124,469 cars of grain containing 182,074,850 bushels as compared to 83,584 cars, for the same period of 1924, containing 121,618,661 bushels.

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There will be an apron dance held in the O. K. school house Friday March 10.

Mayor O. H. Snow was a visitor to Cardston last week.

Business Men—High quality
Munilla for duplicate letter sheets.
1000 for \$2.00, 500 for \$1.25.—

Business Men:—Inkthirst Desk Blotters size 19 x 21 inches. Two for two bits. — Recorder office.

Extensive are being made for the celebration to be held at Camrose, Alberta, by the Norse people of Canada on July 3, 4, and 5 next. Dr. Nordbye of Camrose, is the president of the Norse Society of Canada which is making arrangements for the affair. many visitors from the United States and other parts of Canada are expected to attend.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred
Ralph, a son.

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Gradual Reorganization Of King Cabinet Said To Be Contemplated

Ottawa.—"There were no cabinet appointments made," declared Premier King, following a meeting of the council.

The legislative programme, for presentation to the house after the reopening March 15, was, it is understood, again under consideration. A further conference between members of the cabinet and executives of the Progressive party was held immediately after conclusion of the sitting of the council.

Daily meetings for the consideration of legislation, which will be introduced after the adjournment, have been and will continue to be held during the present week.

While it is understood that there will be some cabinet re-organization, the process may turn out to be rather a gradual one. Amalgamation of certain departments, with a resultant decrease in the number of portfolios, is expected. Departments which may disappear by this process are soldiers' civil re-establishment, health and the department of secretary of state. The possibility of an amalgamation of the department of trade and commerce with that of finance has also been suggested.

That the prime minister will soon make an effort to strengthen his cabinet by the appointment of one or more ministers from Ontario is expected. The name of W. D. Euler, North Waterloo, is mentioned in connection with one of the cabinet vacancies. Other possibilities are J. C. Elliott, of West Middlesex, and James Malcolm, North Brace. Alfred Stork, of Skeena, has been mentioned in connection with the deputy speakership, which will probably be filled shortly.

A tariff commission is to be appointed, and the government has a number of names under consideration for its personnel. There are also some senatorial vacancies in Nova Scotia and Alberta.

Channel Islands Should Pay

Financial Obligations Could Be Met By System Of Taxation

London.—Severe condemnation of the Channel Islands' refusal to contribute annually towards the cost of imperial defence is contained in the report of the special committee of the privy council which has looked into the question of Jersey and Guernsey contributing to the British exchequer. The committee claims that Jersey could equitably contribute £263,000 annually and Guernsey £208,000 annually if some system of taxation similar to the British system were introduced in the islands.

The British Parliament, the committee finds, has the legal power to pass legislation imposing financial obligations on the islands.

The committee's report also deals with wealthy British citizens who have removed to Jersey where there is little, if any, taxation, in an effort to evade their responsibilities, and recommends that the government should take steps to compel them to bear their proper share of the United Kingdom's financial burdens.

Dominions May Be Represented

London.—The question of the possibility of the dominions being represented in the House of Lords when the latter is reformed was raised in the House of Lords by Baron Strathclyde, who suggested that the Imperial conference in October should provide an opportunity to ascertain the opinions of the premiers of the dominions on this point.

Britain Will Do Nothing To Jeopardize Results Of The Locarno Treaty

London.—Speaking warily and admitting the delicacy of the occasion, Sir Austen Chamberlain, the foreign secretary, told the house that Britain would not oppose a unanimous agreement of the other members of the league council to award a permanent seat to some nation besides Germany.

In his promised outline of British policy regarding enlargement of the council, Sir Austen declared, however, that British representatives at the coming Geneva meetings would be guided by the principle of doing nothing to jeopardize the results of Locarno.

They must be parties, he declared,

Last Week In The Alberta Legislature

Minister of Agriculture Deals With The Farming Situation of the Province

Edmonton.—The debate on the address in the Alberta Legislature concluded after a two weeks' discussion. No amendment was offered by the Opposition.

The concluding speaker was Hon. Geo. Hoadley, minister of agriculture, who dealt with the agricultural and health situation throughout the province. The total value of all agricultural produce in 1925 was \$255,000,000. The wheat yield averaged 18 bushels, giving a total of 103,000,000 bushels, the second largest in the province's history.

All field crops totalled a value of \$148,000,000, and forage crops \$16,000,000.

Dairying did not make the same progress as in former years, but increased prices kept the value up, the total realized being \$23,000,000. Poultry production totalled \$8,000,000, egg production being \$5,000,000.

Beekeeping was becoming quite an industry in Southern Alberta, 115,000 lbs. being produced last year.

Fodder corn had made remarkable development, Alberta had last year shipped 15,000 horses and 200,000 cattle to the world's markets.

The report of the health department showed that much progress had been made in combatting disease, particularly by the use of anti-toxins, and by travelling clinics and public health nurses. Municipal hospitals were now serving approximately 110,000 of the province's population.

827 mothers received allowances under the Mothers' Allowance Act last year, the total expended being \$284,007.09. Amendments would be introduced this year, the effect of which would be to help mothers where the husband was totally incapacitated, and where there were young children.

The government have already introduced thirty-two bills, a number of which have already received royal assent.

Most of them are not important, but several deal with matters which will affect the province materially in the future.

A bill for the transfer to the province of its public lands has been introduced in the house. This includes the agreement entered into with the Dominion for the turning over of the natural resources of the province to provincial control. The present subsidy will be continued for three years to the end of an accounting. The house is practically unanimous with regard to this, and the whole matter is dependent on action which may be taken by the Dominion House. However, it is understood that the bill is agreed to in principle by all parties at Ottawa.

Executed By Reds

Leningrad.—Thirteen persons convicted as Estonian spies on February 19, have been executed, their appeals for clemency having been denied. They were accused of plotting against the state and operation in conjunction with British and Estonian intelligence service.

Plan For Forest Fire Protection

Sydney, Australia.—With a view to preventing a possible recurrence of fatal and destructive bush fires, the New South Wales forestry commission has arranged a conference of forestry representatives to consider measures for protection of the Australian forests against fires.

Appeals To Privy Council

King of Swaziland Protests Against Losing Mountain Strongholds

London.—The King of Swaziland, Sobhuza II, was represented by counsel as an appellant before the privy council recently.

A striking figure in court was the King's attorney-general, whose negro features contrasted strongly with his very new forensic wig. He is quite young, is a graduate of Oxford University, an LL.D., of London University and a member of the English Bar. Although he took no part in the actual argument but left the argument to two eminent English King's counsel, he has been responsible for building up the whole case for King Sobhuza's appeal.

Briefly, the case is that large tracts of mountain strongholds, including the burial place for ages of departed kings of Swaziland, have been illegally taken over, it is alleged, by the Swaziland corporation, a private corporation seeking to develop trade in cattle and Swaziland resources generally.

For Corporal Punishment

Advocates Spanking Machine to Put Fear Into Minds of Evil Doers

Winnipeg.—R. B. Graham, K.C., crown prosecutor, continued his advocacy of corporal punishment as a deterrent to crime, in an address before the Rotary Club here.

Physical pain, uniformly inflicted and without the desire for revenge, he held to be the only real deterrent to crime. He turned full sentences to failure and flogging revolting. He advocated the infliction of pain without sentiment and with absolute uniformity by a means of a device similar to a spanking machine.

He repeated a previous assertion that jails have ceased to operate as places of punishment and have developed into "warm winter quarters for the lazy and schools of crime."

Claims Prohibition Law Was Violated

Publishing Washington's Beer Recipe A Crime Says Texas Member

Washington.—Action against the editor of The Washington Post for publication of George Washington's beer recipe was demanded of President Coolidge by Representative Blanton, Democrat, Texas. Publication of the recipe, the Texas representative charged on the floor of the house, constituted a violation of the prohibition law.

Prohibition officials were frankly puzzled over the printing of the recipe, but it was announced at the department of justice that no official cognizance of it had been taken.

Russia Liberates Prisoners

Moscow.—The central executive committee has issued a decree liberating all prisoners in the Far Eastern provinces formerly making up the Far Eastern Republic who are serving terms of a year or less. Sentences of more than a year in this region are commuted by one-third. This action was taken to make available all possible labor so as to strengthen the Russian Far East economically.

Germany Hears About War-Time Conditions

Secrets of Motley in Navy Revealed in Reichstag Speech

Berlin.—Startling revelations with regard to the naval hunger strikes and the muthous mood prevailing in the German navy in 1917 have just been made by Herr Dittmann, the Socialist deputy, in a long speech delivered before the special committee appointed by the Reichstag to inquire into the causes of Germany's collapse in the war.

Herr Dittmann states that the chief ground of the men's discontent during the so-called "mangel-wurzel winter" of 1916-17 and in the following summer was the bad quality of the food supplied to the crews, and their indignation at the vastly superior rations supplied to their officers.

An incident that occurred on board the battleship Thuningen shows the state into which the fleet had deteriorated. The officers, while at mess one day, were suddenly drenched with water from a hose which was turned on them by an unknown hand, and, despite the closest investigation, the culprits remained undiscovered.

The picture of military Germany which has been revealed by Herr Dittmann has come as a shock to many Germans who had been kept in ignorance of the seamy side of Germany's methods during the war.

One New Membership For League Council

Report Says Germany Alone Will Be Honored For the Present

London.—The latest developments surrounding the meeting of the League of Nations seem to indicate that Germany alone will be elected to a permanent seat on the league council, and that the question of the claims of Poland, Spain and Brazil for similar honors will be left to the meeting of the assembly in September.

Sir Austen Chamberlain, the British foreign secretary, is said to have receded from his reported stand in favor of other new permanent memberships than Germany. He would favor, however, giving Spain a seat at the coming session, but this seems out of the question, as it is not believed Germany would agree to such a suggestion.

The correspondent of The Daily Express in Berlin says he learns that Germany has been assured she alone will be admitted to the league council and that other claims must be left for later consideration—perhaps at the September meeting.

Reports Are Encouraging

Nearly 1,000 Families Already Accepted For Emigration Under New Scheme

London.—Hout Col. L. C. Amery, secretary of state for dominion affairs, announced in the House of Commons that 926 families had been accepted for migration under the Canadian Government's three thousand family scheme, and he said that reports as to the working of the scheme and letters received from many settlers in the Dominion were very encouraging.

Rural Credits Measure And Pension Bill To Come Before House

Urges Reduction Of Canada's Gold Reserve

Could Be Profitably Cut By \$50,000,000 Says Royal Bank Economist

Toronto.—Reasons why Canada should lose no time in returning to a gold standard and why the Dominion should authorize a reduction of the country's gold reserve were presented by D. M. Marvin, economist of the Royal Bank of Canada, in an address delivered before the commercial department of the University of Toronto.

By keeping up Canada's gold reserve to the present level, Mr. Marvin estimated about \$2,000,000 annually is being lost in interest. The present total holdings of \$238,000,000, he said, may well be reduced by \$50,000,000, and this reduction used to reduce foreign debts.

"There is increasing competition between various parts of the British Empire for British capital, British immigration and British interest," said Mr. Marvin. "Capital is undoubtedly conservative and for years to come it will prefer countries which are definitely on a gold basis."

Plane Carries First Red Lake Passenger

Arrived Safely At Hudson, Ont., From New Gold Mining Field

Toronto.—The first aeroplane passenger from Red Lake, the new gold mining field, to Hudson, the nearest railway point, has been carried safely.

Hon. Charles McCrae, minister of mines, received a wire from Jack Hamel that he left the camp and flew to Hudson by plane, perfect landings being made. The journey—150 miles—took 1 hour and 40 minutes. My dog team the trip requires eight days.

The planes will carry mail as well as passengers. Hamel stated that the recorder's office at Red Lake is working day and night.

Making Use Of Ice Bridge

Two Alien Runners Captured By Border Patrol At Niagara

Niagara Falls, N.Y.—Alien runners are alleged to be using along the ice bridge below the falls as an avenue to bring aliens into this country from Canada.

Three men crossed the bridge only to fall into the hands of the border patrol when they climbed a ladder from the bottom to the top of the gorge bank, a distance of 200 feet.

One man escaped and descended the ladder, recrossing the ice jam to Canada as the border patrol men sent a volley of bullets after him. He is reported to have reached the Canadian side safely.

Entertained Distinguished Guest

Victoria.—Victoria entertained one of the most distinguished guests to visit the city in many years when Viscount Allenby, famous British military commander, who won Palestine from the Turks during the world war, arrived from Australia aboard the Aorangi, accompanied by Viscountess Allenby. Lord Allenby will tour Canada under the auspices of the National Council of Education.

Ottawa.—Rural credit legislation and a bill for old age pensions are reported to be well in hand by the government. The old age pensions bill will probably be ready when parliament reassembles on March 15.

The rural credits measure is expected to differ widely from the proposal of last year. Then, the scheme was to make an advance of \$10,000,000 to enable the provinces to make long term loans to farmers. The measure passed the house but was defeated in the senate.

The idea this year, it is reported, is rather to follow the federal land bank system of the United States with such modifications as are necessary to meet Canadian conditions.

Details of the scheme will not be known till the bill is submitted to the house. According to current gossip, however, the proposal is to form a Dominion farm loan board with general direction and provincial governments would be financially interested. A scheme suggested is the formation of local associations for the granting of loans, and, to the capital stock of these associations, the Federal Government, the Provincial Government and the borrower would subscribe.

The old age pensions scheme is also reported to call for financial cooperation on the part of the provinces. The bill is stated to follow, in its main lines, the report of the special committee of the house which reported two sessions ago. The committee recommended:

- (1) Old age pensions for deserving indigent persons of 70 and upwards.
- (2) Applicants for pensions must be British subjects or at least 15 years naturalization and 25 years residence.
- (3) That the maximum rates of pensions be \$20 a month, which would be lessened by private income or partial ability to earn.

Lady Astor Willing To Resign

But Mrs. Pankhurst Declines Offer of Seat in Parliament

London.—Lady Astor, member of parliament, has offered to resign her seat in favor of Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, who time militant suffragette leader.

The offer was made at a dinner given in honor of Mrs. Pankhurst.

The famous suffragette gracefully declined it but declared she was willing to run for some other seat. She denied a rumor that she had accepted an invitation from the Conservatives to run in their behalf.

Fast Mail Service For Victoria

Victoria.—Starting on April 6, Victoria residents will be able to send letters or parcels to New York in approximately 50 hours, it was announced at the Victoria post office.

Arrangements have been made whereby it is possible for British Columbia residents to take advantage of the fast United States trans-continental air mail service.

Germany Extends Credit To Russia

Berlin.—Representatives of German industry, with the support of the Federal Government, have concluded an agreement by which credits up to \$75,000,000 will be extended to Russia for the purchase of German goods.

Progressives Will Co-Operate Openly With The Government

Ottawa.—"Coalition or fusion" of the Liberal and Progressive parties is not contemplated." This declaration is made in a signed statement issued by Robert Forke, Progressive leader, and H. E. Spencer, chief Progressive group in the House of Commons, and its relation to the King Government.

The intention of the Progressive party is "to co-operate openly" with the government on a "legislative" basis, it is stated, for which, "in order to be effective, consultation is essential."

The statement reads as follows: "To prevent any misunderstanding and speculation by the press, it has been thought advisable to issue a statement regarding the position of the Progressive group and its relation to the government."

"After the general election held on October 29, it transpired that parliament contained a number of groups,

none of which had a majority over all. This is a situation unique in the history of Canada, and presented obvious difficulties requiring any method for their solution if the best interests of the country are to be served and parliament allowed to function.

"That this can be best accomplished by co-operation between the various groups in parliament or by co-operation between some of the groups is apparent, and steps were taken to establish a basis for co-operation.

"It is accepted by the co-operating groups that the basis must be legislative, and that in order to be effective, consultation is essential. It is therefore the intention of the Progressive group to co-operate openly with the government on this basis.

"Coalition or fusion of the groups participating is not contemplated.

"Robert Forke.

"Henry E. Spencer."



Poet Visits Winter Carnival

Bliss Carman, the famous Canadian poet, not only loves to sing the praises of the mountains, the wide open space, the soft beautiful snow, but also loves to live the life he sings about so well. Recently he donned the apparel of the men of the west, and attired in comfortable moosehorns and woollen socks tramped about to his heart's content in the vicinity of Banff. One day he took a sixteen-mile trip to one of the lakes in the clouds. The famous Canadian poet is here seen with the queen of the Banff Winter Carnival.

Seed Grain For Argentine

Canada Seed Grain Is the Best in the World

Part of the cargo of the S.S. Halcus, of the Houston 1. E. Line which sailed from New York on February 26th for Buenos Aires was 2,000 bushels of Canadian pedigree seed Marquis wheat and 2,000 bushels of Canadian pedigree Bannock oats. This is the largest order for seed grain that has been exported from Canada. It is a shipment from the Canadian Seed Growers' Association's plant at Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan, and is consigned to the Bunge and Bern Grains Corporation, Buenos Aires, to fill orders from farmers in the Argentine Republic. The wheat in this consignment was sold for \$2.00 per bushel and the oats for \$1 per bushel f.o.b. New York.

For the past two years the Canadian Seed Growers' Association, which is an association of practical farmers, has been trying to get more export orders for surplus seed grain. In order to sell this grain abroad it has been necessary to demonstrate the claims that Canadian seed grain is the best in the world due to the methods by which it is grown, the quality of the soil and the climatic conditions which are peculiarly conducive to growing vigorous seed. Donations of seed grain have been made in recent years to about 25 different countries and several of them have already found it is of incomparable quality. The order referred to from Argentina is one result of the experiments made from the donations, and also of the activity on the part of the Canadian trade commission at Buenos Aires.

The association is also sending a ton of registered alfalfa seed from Brooks, Alberta, to Sweden and is negotiating for the shipment of a trainload of seed oats for Australia.

Jay Gould's Invention

Late U. S. Financier Expected to Make Fortune With Mouse Trap

When Jay Gould, the United States financier, who left a fortune of \$75,000,000 went to New York in 1853 to seek his fortune, he took with him a handsome mahogany box in which was an invention that he expected to make it with. It was a mouse trap. He left his treasure on the seat of a street car while he stood on the platform. His

mouse trap was stolen. He pursued and caught the thief, who was an old offender for whom the New York police were looking at the time.

A New York paper came out the next day with a story of the capture. "How a Mouse Trap Caught a Thief." This is said to have given Jay Gould his first taste of publicity.

Juvenile Crime

Says Moral of High School Students In U. S. Are Shocking

Moral conditions among boys and girls of high school age are shocking, John J. Tigert, United States commissioner of education, told several thousand school teachers assembled in the convention of the department of superintendence of the National Education Association at Washington.

"The percentage of crime now reported among boys and girls of high school age by reputable authorities has become almost incredible," he said.

"I refuse to give any further credence to the statistics on this and other shocking social conditions. We have enough to know that there has been a serious breakdown in character and integrity."

Convicted On His Own Evidence

A man up before a local magistrate in an Ontario village, claimed he had not been drunk on a certain occasion because he tried to walk a crack in the sidewalk and did it perfectly.

"Well," said the local Solon, "that convicts you. No sober man ever tries to walk a crack—never thinks of it. A drunken man thinks of it, tries it, does it badly and thinks he does it well. The line in this case will be the usual one."

Scott Was Her Favorite

The professor had just finished an evening talking on St. Walter Scott and his works, when a lady said: "Oh professor, I have so enjoyed your talk. Scott is a great favorite of mine." "Indeed," said the professor, "What one of his books do you like best?" "Oh," answered the lady, "I haven't read any of his books, but I am so fond of his emulsion—I've used a lot of that."

"How do you get on with your wife?"

"She is a member of twelve different societies and committees. I see her for an hour each day."

"Poor chap."

"Oh, an hour soon passes."

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Chimney Fires

Can Be Prevented By Regular and Thorough Cleaning

This is the season when due provision should be made to guard against chimney fires, which have assumed surprisingly large proportions in recent years. In this connection the National Fire Protective Association points out that "chimney fires and fires due to defective chimneys are among the easiest kinds of fires to stop before they start. Fire in the chimney proper are due to dirty chimneys and can be prevented by the simple expedient of regular and thorough cleaning. Fires which ignite the dwelling because the chimney is defective can be prevented by strict attention to construction details."

The householder, upon learning that his chimney is a fire, should close off, in as airtight a manner as possible, all openings into the chimney, including fireplaces, smoke pipe holes and clean-out doors. In the absence of better means, wads of wet burlap or blankets may be used for this purpose. A few pounds of salt or a pall of sand thrown down the burning flue is often effective. But a chemical fire extinguisher is better.

The proper method, however, is to prevent the outbreak of such fires, generally due to accumulation of soot, caused by imperfect combustion of fuel and neglect to clean the chimney, by having chimneys cleaned at least once a year. Efficient chimney sweeps are not always available in this country, and in their absence the simple method of lowering a brick wrapped in a carpet by a rope from the top of the chimney and swinging it around inside will be found effective.

Railroad Men Have Picturesque Dialect

Locomotive Is "Hog" and a "Highball" Is An Advance Signal

Nearly all trades have their own jargon which is unintelligible to those in the outside. According to the Southern News Bulletin, the railroad man has an especially rich and ingenious dialect.

Some of his most familiar words and their meanings are: "King Snipe," section foreman; "hog," locomotive; "hog load," a detour; "reefers," refrigerator cars; "big hole," emergency air application; "master maniac," master mechanic; "hand-out," free meal; "bull fighter," empty coach; "old man," switchman.

"Pin-head," amateur clerk; "gates," switches; "monkey money," trip passes; "madhouse," roundhouse foreman; "big O," conductor; "hot shot," fast through freight train; "die book," meal ticket book; "bug," telegraph instrument; "crumbox," caboose.

Weymouth People Long-Lived

Age Of People Who Died Last Year Averaged Over 91 Years

At the age of 80 or even 90, you work, hill-climb, go away for the annual holiday, and go to church and sport alike, undeterred by the worst weather. If you happen to be a native of the black tale of Portland, near Weymouth. Here human beings are durable as well as the stone. A local clergyman, the Rev. D. A. Millar-Russ, has pointed out that, although the population is 12,000, the only burials in the local graveyard from December 1, 1925, to January 1, 1926, were of people whose ages were 83, 84, 65, 81, 78, 84, 86, 81, 75, 93 and 88—an average of more than 81 years.

One of the local residents said recently that if a local man of 91 had not paid a visit to Wimbledon during the year at which place he died, the average would have been nearly 83.

Not only do old people travel far into the mainland, but aged Portlanders have regular calls from septuagenarian children flying away from home. One grey-haired old man came from the mainland to spend Christmas at home with his mother and father, aged 93 and 94 respectively. There is at least one centenarian on the island.

Fewer People In Tropics

Only about twenty-eight per cent. of the world's population at this time live in the tropics, while seventy-two per cent. occupy the temperate zones, including the few in the frigid countries. Looking ahead, it is estimated that seventy-two per cent. of the products necessary to support the future population of the world, will have to come from the tropical countries, while only twenty-eight per cent. will be expected from the temperate climates.

Canadian Wolf Is Fierce

Carries Off Lamb For Savagery Says Keeper of London Zoo

The fiercest creature in the London Zoo at Regent's Park is the Canadian wolf. At least he gets that reputation. A printed notice in front of his cage warns visitors: "This animal is dangerous." A similar warning is posted on the bars of a neighboring beast from Bosnia. A sightseer would say, off hand, that the lions and tigers and leopards in the heated house across the way were more ferocious—particularly after he had seen the big cats devouring their hunks of raw meat. The snarls and roars of feeding time bring shuddering thoughts of the Christian martyrs in the Roman Coliseum. Even the wolves' next door neighbors, the hyenas, which give blood curdling laughs when dinner arrives and crunch on bones to powder in their terrible jaws seems more fearsome. But the keeper tells us that the Canadian wolf carries off the lamb for savagery.

"You can't trust him," he stated, pointing to the big dog wolf, which bounded toward the bars when his daily rations of raw beef were displayed. "A keeper wouldn't dare to go into the cage with him, and if you put your hand close up he would snap it right off. We have had trouble with him, and he can't be trusted. The lions and tigers may be as bad or worse, but you will notice that the barrier bars in front of their cages make it impossible for visitors to get too close to them. Foolish people, however, could, by reaching over, get close enough to the wolf's jaws, and we have the sign displayed to warn them. You have no idea how silly some visitors are."

"As for this wolf," remarked the keeper, drawing close up to the bars of the cage which contained a much smaller and tawny creature, a female wolf from Bosnia in Jugoslavia, "she did once attack a strange keeper who went into her cage, and therefore we had to label her. But I have handled her since she was a pup, and she is gentle as a kitten with me." Here he proved his assertion by putting his hand in her mouth. We gasped at sight of her ugly fangs, but the lady wolf merely licked the hand of her guardian which she could have taken off with one snap, and wagged her tail like a dog.

Proves Wooden Ships Seaworthy Many Years

Vessel In Baltic Sea Has Been In Service For Two Centuries

In the Baltic Sea there is a ship known as "The Constance" which is 202 years old and still in sailing service. She was built in 1723. Sweden has a vessel, "The Emanuel," built in 1749 and still engaged in carrying lumber. "The Good Intent," a vessel built in 1796, was sold at Cardiff in 1919, at the time doing regular service, and brought the respectable sum of \$1,000. Shipping men point to these old wooden ships to show that they remain seaworthy many years.

About Birthdays

Mrs. A.: My husband sends me flowers on my birthday. I wish he'd change to bonbons.

Mrs. B.: My husband sends me candy, when he knows I like flowers.

Mrs. C.: My husband sends me flowers and candy. He ought to know I'd prefer a cheque.

Mrs. D.: My husband never remembers my birthday, so I go out and buy what I want and charge it.—Life.

Where Money Talks

According to statistics just issued at Moscow, the United States sold three times as much to Russia in 1925 as she did in 1924. And yet the two governments are not on speaking terms. Is this a case where money talks, even though the governments do not?—Los Angeles Times.

Suitable For Flax Growing

Crop Matures Rapidly In Climate Of British Columbia

Manufacture of the various products of flax is a possibility in the Fraser Valley district of British Columbia judging from recent negotiations underway between local authorities and Old Country flax growers and manufacturers.

It has been found that the crop can be grown to perfection in this province and at a fair profit. In 1923 an average production of 17,500 bushels was secured from 754 acres of this crop sown in the province. The crop of that year sold at \$1.45 per bushel. In the following year 1,183 acres were sown and an average of 12,800 bushels per acre harvested, the price of that year reaching \$1.80 per bushel.

Local flax growers state that the climate of British Columbia is very suitable for the growth of flax where the stalks are long and the crop matures more rapidly than in England. The only handicap at the present time on the growing of flax is the lack of a market, but if the present negotiations underway to establish a plant mature, this problem will be surmounted.—J. G. N.

Was Record Performance

Owner of Lunch Wagon Claims Long Distance Eating Championship

There are people who like to keep record performances, and there may be some who include eating among them. For their information we draw attention to a press dispatch from Morgantown, W. Va., which says that Lewis Tsigirlis, who conducts a small lunch wagon, claims the "long distance eating championship" of this district. After he had eaten two cheese sandwiches, six pork chops, a service of lettuce, and a loaf of Italian bread, one of his friends bet him \$5 he could not eat another meal. Lewis took the bet and ate two dozen fried eggs, and a loaf of Italian bread, drank two cups of coffee and a bottle of beer. He then wanted to bet he could eat another half dozen eggs and another loaf of bread. He found no takers, so he claimed undisputed possession of the eating championship. Police Sergeant Thomas Shaw vouches for the story.—Kingston Standard.

Capt. Cook's Voyages

Was First British Seaman to Land on Vancouver Island

The missing Zimmermann story of the travels of Captain James Cook in the South Seas, located some time ago in Switzerland by an agent of Cecil French, of Victoria, has arrived at Victoria, B.C., from Europe and will be presented soon to the provincial museum by Mr. French. The book, published in Mannheim in 1783, was written by Henry Zimmermann, who accompanied Cook in his famous travels. In the course of which Cook was the first British seaman to land on Vancouver Island. The existence of the book had been doubted for many years by students of Pacific northwestern history. Several years ago French had a search instituted for it on hearing rumors that French and German translations were in private collections in Switzerland.

New Zealand Likes Canadians

The city of Wellington, New Zealand, is advertising in Toronto for a city engineer and a city clerk. This is probably the result of good work or some Canadians who have gone there and made good. Among these men is J. A. Ruddle, a well known cheese and butter expert, who went there and placed that far-famed little island on the map so far as the export of cheese and butter are concerned.

The effect of a mule's kick does not depend upon the soundness of his brain.

Science Indebted To Primitive Medicine Men

Some Well Known Drugs Discovered By Savage Witch Doctors

Modern medical practice is indebted to witch doctors and medicine men for the discovery of two necessary drugs. The natives of the Malay jungle were the discoverers of a species of strychnos, and a tribe known as the Bolantes of West Africa provided the medicinal properties of calabar bean and kumbe (atropine). The active principle of these drugs has proved of high value. Other primitive tribes used remedies now acknowledged as effective long before they were discovered by white men. To the Shaman of North and South America we are indebted for cascara sagrada and the elchona, from which quinine is obtained. South American Indians employed quinine for fever long before the remedy was introduced in Europe.

The superstition that sickness was the work of an evil spirit is one of the earliest answers to the question of the cause of disease. This belief was widely accepted that primitive men went about classifying the demons which might take possession of a person. There was the demon of death, of blindness, of cramp, of fever and so on—as many demons as there were ills. Each demon was represented by a painted mask, and each had his particular color.

While modern doctors are struggling to ascertain the cause and cure of rheumatism the natives of the Upper Congo are convinced that they have found the only worthwhile treatment for this disability. Two poles, five feet long and painted bright yellow, with red and green patches, are erected near the sick person's house. Food—the most attractive and enticing viands that can be found—are then placed on top of the poles. These devices are for the purpose of tempting the demon to come out of the body of the sick person.

In East Africa the witch doctor is an honored personage. He does a thriving business in charms, astrological readings, and written incantations, which he carries about in a small bag decorated with a black circle and bound with reared cord. Yet, despite such odd practices, it is admitted that from witch doctors civilization has derived priceless information, in regard to certain curative drugs and animal and vegetable poisons.

U. S. Independent Public Women Indignant

Enjoy Even Greater Freedom Than Women of America

An even greater independence than that enjoyed by American women prevails among the women of the Turures, a nomadic semi-Arabic tribe inhabiting the southern districts of the Sahara Desert.

Although the Turures are Mahomedans, their women enjoy the prerogative of going about with their faces unveiled, whereas the men invariably have their faces well covered. Among the Turures it is the women who choose their husbands and throughout their married life remain the sole owners of all their possessions. They alone rear the children and at all times are invested with supreme authority as head of the family.

Aeroplane Is Popular Goods Carrier

So popular has the transit of goods by aeroplane become that it has been found necessary to construct new storehouses and sheds at the London air stations at Croydon. A bigger staff of customs officers also is required.

It is now planned to reserve single-engined planes for goods traffic. The larger multi-engined machines will be used only for passengers.

"Robert, if you don't know you must ask."

"Yes'm, my teacher does that, too."

Wins Success In Alberta

Farm Hand From North Dakota Forges Ahead In Sunny Province

An encouraging story of the success in Western Canada is told in detail by the Canadian Government agent at Fargo, North Dakota, as follows:

Andrew Ruud, of Gleichen, Alberta, formerly of Wales, North Dakota, called at my office at Fargo, N.D., recently. Mr. Ruud left North Dakota a farm hand in the month of October, 1920. After he arrived at Gleichen, Alberta, he worked on farms in the vicinity for two years.

In the spring of 1923, this energetic young man rented three quarter-sections of land, all stubble, put in a crop of 200 acres without ploughing the land, using a drill on the stubble. Part of this he put into wheat and part into oats. It yielded per acre, wheat, 33 bushels, oats 112 bushels. That summer he harvested 200 acres. The next year, 1924, he sowed all wheat on the summer-fallow land. That year was a comparatively dry season and yet his wheat averaged 23 bushels to the acre.

During the summer of 1921, Mr. Ruud summer-fallowed the 200 acres he had in crop the preceding year. In the spring of 1922, he sowed to wheat the 200 acres of summer-fallow and raised in return 31 bushels per acre of wheat, which he sold at Fort William, Ontario, on the 4th of December, for \$1.64 per bushel.

He has made enough money on this land during the past three years to warrant him in purchasing a section of land one mile from where he has this land rented. Mr. Ruud is very enthusiastic over the country he lives in, and he is advising all his relatives and friends in this country to move to Western Canada where the opportunities are good in every way for farming.

Mr. Ruud likes the climate and maintains the winters are milder than in North Dakota. He has 19 head of horses which he turns out in the fall to rustle on the stubble and pasture land, straw stacks, etc. Both Mr. Ruud and all his neighbors leave their stock out all winter and in the spring they are always in good condition.

The new town near his land, on the extension of the C.P.R., called Arrowwood, is a prosperous place that already has five elevators, two hardware stores, four general stores, and a high school costing \$23,000. There are also good schools in the adjacent

country. Mr. Ruud's neighbors have succeeded even better than he has, had larger yields of grain, and crop more of their land.

He says he will be pleased to answer any inquiries about the country that may be addressed to him.

Jack Miner, the Bird Lover

A Few of Jack Miner's Sayings

Culled by Norman S. Rankin

"Tell the truth if you have to lie to do it."

"I like birds, but boys better."

"If it were not for flowers, birds and music and children, I would have no desire to carry on."

"I am so happy I'm going to live a hundred years or die in the attempt."

"Never a man so good but what a good woman will make him better."

"Is life in the country worth living? It depends on the liver."

"There isn't enough real money in the world to buy my home."

"I've done no work. Work consists of doing something you don't want to do. Yet I'm always as busy as a cow's tail in fly time."

"Did you ever notice that when you begin to work for others you get all kinds of encouragement—everybody works with you and for you."

"I've got nothing of which to boast. Back of Jack Miner has been the Powerful hand of the Unseen."

"Don't let us work all our life to make a living, but let us work to live all our life."

"The hope of the world is more love and education, both in national and international affairs."

"Don't always judge a man by the smell of his breath."

"God and a good wife can make a man out of a stork-catcher."

"Money doesn't make a man."

Notice Came Too Late

An official in a certain Canadian town, notified a citizen that his license to keep a cow had expired. In reply the official received this letter:

"Monsieur Bord of Helt—I just got your note that my license to keep my cow has expired. I wish to inform you, Monsieur Bord of Helt, that my cow she beat you to it—she expire three weeks ago. Much obliged. Yours with respect, Pete."

Unhappy Sultor—Dorothy and I have decided that our happiness is the biggest thing in the world.

Father—You change your mind so often. Only yesterday you wanted to marry her.



The Canadian Flag on Mediterranean Tour

Here is the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of France, as she was towed into New York harbor by seven tugs on her arrival from Liverpool, carrying the Canadian flag into America's greatest port. The luxurious vessel shuddered daintly at the cold, and ice and snow. It all looked so dreary. But on February 9 the Empress of France left for sunny Isles and sun baked lands lying close to the blue waters of the Mediterranean, where winter gales are unknown and the days are an unending succession of brightness.

Anything Wrong With Your Skin?
Zam-Buk
 WILL SOON PUT IT RIGHT
 Wash with Zam-Buk Medicinal Soap.

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Something greater than mere curiosity began to take possession of Carvel. A whimsical humor became a fixed and deeper thought, an unreasoning anticipation that was accompanied by a certain thrill of subdued excitement. By the time they reached the old beaver pond the mystery of the strange adventure had a firm hold on him. From Beaver-tooth's colony Barre led him to the creek along which Wabagoo, the black bear, had fished, and thence straight to the Gray Loon. It was after afternoon of a wonderful day. It was as still that the rippling waters of spring, singing in a thousand rills and streamlets, filled the forests with a drowsy music. In the warm sun the crimson lake lilies glowed like blood. In the open spaces the air was scented with the perfume of blue flowers. In the trees and bushes toiled birds were building their nests. After the long sleep of winter Nature was at work in all her glory. It was Unkepesim, the Mating Moon, the Home Building Moon—and Barre was going home. Not to childhood—but to Nepeese. He knew that she was there now, perhaps at the very edge of the chasm where he had seen her last. They would be playing together again soon, as they had played yesterday, and the day before, and the day before that, and in his joy he harked up into Carvel's face, and urged him to greater speed. Then they came to the clearing, and once more Barre stood like a rock. Carvel saw the charred ruins of the burned cabin, and a moment later the two graves under the tall spruce. He

stood slowly to the waiting, listening dog. A great swelling rose in his throat, and after a moment or two he said softly, and with an effort: "Boy, I guess you're home." Barre did not hear. With his head up and his nose tilted to the blue sky he was sniffing the air. What was it that came to him with the perfume of the forests and the green meadow? Why was it that he trembled now as he stood there? What was there in the air? Carvel asked himself, and his quivering eyes tried to answer the questions. Nothing. There was death here—death and desertion, that was all. And then, all at once, there came from Barre a strange cry—at least a human cry—and he was gone like the wind.

Carvel had thrown off his pack. He dropped his rifle beside it now, and followed Barre. The man, swiftly, straight across the open, into the

PAINS ALL OVER BODY

Two More Cases of Feminine Illness Relieved by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Barrington, N. S.—"I had terrible feelings, headaches, back and side aches and pains all over my body. I would have to go to bed every month and nothing would do me good. My husband and my father did all my work for me as I have two children and we have quite a big place. I read in the paper about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and then got a little book about it through the mail, and my husband sent to Eaton's and got me a bottle, and then we got more from the store. I am feeling fine now and do all my work and am able to go out around more. I tell my friends it is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound that makes me feel so well."—Mrs. VICTOR RICHARDSON, Barrington, Nova Scotia.

Dull Pains in Back

St. Thomas, Ont.—"I took four bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and found great relief from the dull, heavy pains in the small of my back and the weakness from which I suffered for five years after my boy was born. After taking the Vegetable Compound and using Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash I am feeling better than I have for the past seven years, and advise my friends to take it."—Mrs. F. JOHNSON, 49 Moore Street, St. Thomas, Ont. C

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downy balsam and into a grass-grown path that had once been worn by the travel of feet. He ran until he was panting for breath, and then stopped and listened. He could hear nothing of Barre. But that old worn trail led on under the forest trees, and he followed it. Close to the deep, dark pool in which he and the Willow had disappeared so often, Barre, too, had stopped. He could hear the rippling of water, and his eyes shone with a gleaming fire as he gazed at Nepeese. He expected to see her there, her slim white body shimmering in some dark shadow of overhanging spruce, or gleaming suddenly white as snow in one of the warm splashes of sunlight. His eyes sought out their old hiding places; the great split rock on the other side, the shelving banks under which they used to dive like otter, the spruce houses that dipped down to the surface, and in the midst of which the Willow loved to screen her naked body while he searched the pool for her. And at last the realization was borne upon him that she was not there, that he had still farther to go.



"Even then it seemed quite the most natural thing in the world that it should be Nepeese, and none other."

He went on to the top. The little open space in which they had built their hidden wigwam was flooded with sunshine that came through a break in the forest to the west. The top was still there. It did not seem very much changed to Barre. And rising from the ground in front of the top was what had come to him fatally on the still air—the smoke of a small fire. Over that fire was bending a person, and it did not strike Barre as amazing, or at all unexpected, that this person should have two great sliding bridges down her back. He whined, and as his white person grew a little rigid, and turned slowly.

Even then it seemed quite the most natural thing in the world that it should be Nepeese, and none other. He had lost her yesterday. Today he had found her. And in answer to his white there came a sobbing cry straight out of the soul of the Willow. Carvel found them there a few minutes later, the dog's head huddled close up against the Willow's breast, and the Willow was crying—crying like a little child, her face hidden from him on Barre's neck. He did not interrupt them, but waited, and as he waited something in the sobbing voice and the stillness of the forest seemed to whisper to him a bit of the story of the burned cabin and the two graves, and the meaning of the Call that had come to Barre from out of the spout.

CHAPTER XXXI.

That night there was a new campfire in the open. It was not a small fire, built with the fear that other eyes might see it, but a fire that sent its flames high. To the glow of it stood Carvel. And as the fire had changed from that small smouldering heap over which the Willow had cooked her dinner, so Carvel, the officially dead outlaw, had changed. The beard was gone from his face; he had thrown off his carbon-skin coat; his sleeves were rolled up to the elbows, and there was a wild flush in his face that

was not altogether the tanning of wind and sun and storm, and a glow in his eyes that had not been there for five years, perhaps never before. His eyes were on Nepeese.

"Tomorrow or the next day I am going to Lac Bala," he said, a hard and bitter note back of the gentle worship in his voice. "I will not come back until I have—killed him."

The Willow looked straight into the fire. For a time there was a silence broken only by the crackling of the flames, and in that silence Carvel's fingers weaved in and out of the silken strands of the Willow's hair. His thoughts flashed back. What a chance he had missed that day on Bush McTaggart's trap-line—if he had only known! His jaws set hard as he saw in the red-hot heart of the fire the mental pictures of the day when the Factor from Lac Bala had killed Pierrot. She had told him the whole story. Her flight. Her plunge to whistling land, thought was certain death in the icy torrent of the chasm. Her miraculous escape from the waters—and how she had discovered, nearly dead, by Tuhoo, the toothless old Cree whom Pierrot out of pity had allowed to hunt in part of his domain.

He felt within himself the tragedy and the horror of the one terrible hour in which the sun had gone out of the world for the Willow, and in the flames he could see faithful old Tuhoo as he called on his last strength to bear Nepeese over the long miles that lay between the chasm and his cabin; he caught shifting visions of the weeks that followed in that cabin, weeks of hunger and of intense cold in which the Willow's life hung by a single thread. And at last, when the snows were deepest, Tuhoo had died. Carvel's fingers clenched in the strands of the Willow's braids. A deep breath rose out of his chest, and he said, staring deep into the fire:

"Tomorrow I will go to Lac Bala."
 (To be continued)

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"Although I was late," said the new boarder, "I found the lady had saved for me the tenderest part of the chicken." "What was that?" said the old boarder jealously. "Some of the gravy."

Registered visitors of the Abraham Lincoln monument in Springfield, Ill., during 1925, totaled 126,719 persons.

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Bears Acted As Judges

Proved Charge of Cruelty Against Keeper Was False

In a case recently tried before a tribunal at Berne, Switzerland, the principal witnesses were two bears.

Herr Grossenbacher, keeper of a bear's pit known to tourists throughout the world, brought legal action for defamation against three former employees who had accused him of cruelty toward animals, which charge the keeper strongly denied, adding he was very fond of bears.

When the court opened, a man brought in two bears. As soon as the three accused appeared the animals began to growl angrily and wanted to retreat to a corner, evidently expecting chastisement. When Grossenbacher entered the court the bears rushed at him, expressing their joy with grunts, licking his boots and hands and attempting to give him a strong animal hug, which the smiling keeper had some difficulty avoiding. "The bears have judged the case," said the magistrate. "I require no further evidence."

He fined the three accused, with costs.

When the court was cleared, the animals would not leave their beloved keeper, who took his pets home through the streets, amid cheers from the crowd.

Her Nerves Were "All Broken Up" She Could Not Sleep

Mrs. David Gallouger, 37 Lyndhurst Ave., Hamilton, Ont., writes: "My nerves were all broken up and I could not sleep at night, and I would have to get up out of bed and walk the floor for hours at a time."

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Soviet Reviews Reds' Fate

40,400 Imprisoned, 4,300 Tortured Or Executed Outside Russia

President G. E. Zinoviev, speaking before the sixth plenary congress of the executive committee of the International at Moscow, quoted figures showing that 40,400 revolutionaries had been imprisoned, 4,300 wounded and 4,300 tortured or executed in different countries last year. He said there was great opposition to communists in Italy.

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Name Restricted Area

An area in the New Westminster and Yale land districts of British Columbia has been set aside by order-in-council as a restricted area in the campaign to eradicate bovine tuberculosis.

Nearly all children are subject to worms, and many are born with them. Spare them suffering by using Mother Graves' Worm Expeller, an excellent remedy.

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Minard's Liniment for dandruff

Common Cold Is Dangerous

People in Error Who Consider It Just Simple Malady

Captain Raold Amundsen discoverer of the South Pole and navigator of the northwest passage, has been ordered to bed "a very sick man" because he refused to take a cold seriously.

How such a sturdy man could have contracted such a malady is in itself a puzzle to the lay mind. We are inclined to picture him as having acquired immunity by long marches into the polar regions, but it is the paradox of the common cold that people accustomed to living out in the great open and frozen spaces are liable to it the moment they get back to civilization and steam heat.

The tramp who has spent most of his nights sleeping under a barbed-wire fence is likely to catch a cold if someone gives him the price and he spends it on a good warm bed.

When well and strong and feeling fine we seldom think about doctors, and if we do it is generally with the comforting thought that medical science has conquered almost everything but cancer.

But let us catch a common cold and fall to shake it off in a day, and we set to thinking of the thousands of years in which the millions of medical men have failed to find a speedy cure for so simple a malady.

To which the profession replies that it is not a simple and may prove a very serious malady if not taken in time, and that the best way to take it is to take the best advice. It is not what the doctor does not know, but what the patient thinks he knows himself that is the danger in a common cold. A man with a cold is a sick man and may become sicker if he neglects it.

Admiral Togo Excepted

Aged Japanese May Carry Cane When Visiting Imperial Court

Admiral Count Togo, commander of the Japanese fleet which destroyed the Russian squadrons in the Battle of the Sea of Japan in May, 1905, now enfeebled by his 80 years, has been granted special permission to carry a cane when visiting the Imperial Court.

The carrying of sticks of any sort in the presence of the nation's rulers is forbidden by court etiquette, but exception in the case of the aged sea hero was made by formal ruling of the minister of the Imperial household.

Minard's Liniment for sore throat

Lethbridge Northern Irrigation District

Crop Survey For 1925 Shows a Remarkable Improvement

Preliminary estimates gathered in the crop survey of the Lethbridge Northern Irrigation District for 1925 show remarkable improvement, as compared with 1924, the first year of the operation of the project with the water on the land. The survey shows that the per acre value of soil products on irrigated lands was \$27.13, as compared with \$16.19 in the year 1924. There were under crop in the district 26,958 acres of irrigated land, as against 21,000 in 1924. The gross return from the 21,000 acres was \$334,679, while the gross return in 1925 was \$1,013,003.

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Trans Canada Highway

Completion of the Maatoba section of the trans-Canada highway will be undertaken this year, if reports of engineers surveying the proposed route are favorable. Thirty-five miles of the proposed route remains unfinished. The Ontario Government is pushing forward its end of the road from Kenora.



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Colds Are Not Necessary Evils

Observance of One Fundamental Rule of Health Protects Against Them

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Constipation is frequently the cause of such a state of health, with its attendant listlessness, biliousness, headaches and a general lack of vitality. Poisons from the waste matter that remains behind after improper, irregular bowel elimination are picked up by the blood and carried to every part of the body. They weaken your resistance to disease. Thousands of people who have suffered from self-poisoning in this way have found that *Nujol*, the internal lubricant makes bowel elimination sure and easy.

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Little Helps For This Week

Whoso trusteth in the Lord, happy is he.—Prov. xvi, 20.

All as God wills, who wisely heeds To give or to withhold, And knoweth more of all my needs, Than all my prayers have told.

—John Greenleaf Whittier.

We are in God's hands, Brother.—Shakespeare.

It's good to live only a moment at a time; . . . It isn't for you and me to lay plans; we've nothing to do but to obey and trust.—George Eliot.

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	NEW PRICE	OLD PRICE	REDUCTION
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X Runabout	\$410
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The applicant company applies for the right to divert sufficient water from Davis coulee at a point on the Southeast quarter of section seven (7), township one (1), range twelve (12), west of the 4th meridian, for industrial purposes, and for the right to construct the necessary works, as shown by the memorial and plans filed to enable the water so diverted to be used for the said industrial purposes.

The undermentioned lands are also affected by right of way for the proposed works, viz:--South-east and northeast quarters of section 7 and the Northwest quarter of section 8, township 1 range 12, west of the 4th meridian.

Dated at Calgary, Alta., this 25th day of February, 1926.
Northwest Co. Ltd.
APPLICANT.

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Archie Marks Coming

Great interest is being evidenced in the forthcoming engagement at the Opera House Tuesday, March 23 of Archie Marks and her company of player. This organization which comes here from a 9 weeks records breaking engagement at the Empire Theatre, Saskatoon; one year at the Strand Theatre, Halifax; six months at the Casino Theatre, St. John's, N. B., is easily the most talented company of its kind that has ever been offered the public of Raymond.

Every member of the company is an artist in his or her particular line of endeavor and headed by the talented and well known actress Archie Marks these productions never fail to please and their visit here will be looked forward to by many theatre goers of the town.

The play to be offered here will be Geo. M. Cohen's greatest success "45 Minutes From Broadway"; this play is an outstanding attraction from many angles. It is artistic, dramatic and musical with a vein of wholesome comedy closely entwined. There is something about the bill that will please the most critical. As an entertainment "45 Minutes from Broadway" is without parallel. Miss Arline will be seen in an excellent role as also Lindsay Perrin. Between the acts of the play polite vaudeville specialties will be introduced including singers, dancers, acrobats, musicians and the famous Florida Bell Hops orchestra. A dance will be given after the show, and the music will be furnished by the Florida Bell Hops orchestra. Seats are now on sale at the Peter Pan Cafe. A word to the wise, be there early.

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